

FORECAST—Moderate southerly winds shifting to east and increasing to strong at night, partly cloudy and mild, showery tonight and early Saturday.
Sunshine yesterday, 6 hours 48 minutes.

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3	6:16	7:35	4:12	5:11	6:16
4	6:22	7:40	4:14	5:14	6:22
5	6:28	7:45	4:16	5:16	6:28

Sun sets, 7:30; rises Saturday, 4:49.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

Final Bulletins

Shoots Down Nazi But Also Meets Death

LONDON (CP)—The gunner of a British reconnaissance plane shot down one of the three German fighters in a fierce battle near the Island of Borkum in the North Sea today, the Air Ministry announced tonight.

The gunner later was killed by bullets from one of the other German fighters. The pilot and navigator of the plane both were wounded, but succeeded in bringing their aircraft safely back to the base.

British Meet Raiders

LONDON (AP)—Heavy gunfire was heard off the southeast coast tonight and searchlights were in action. Aircraft, believed to be German, were heard over the sea.

206 Interned

PARIS (CP-Havas)—Internment on islands in the Bay of Biscay of 206 Communists, members of the Chamber of Deputies, departmental councillors, and mayors before their party was banned, was announced here tonight.

Storm on Coast

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Storm warnings flew on the United States coast this afternoon from Fort Bragg, Calif., to Tatoosh Island, off Cape Flattery, Wash.

Strong southerly winds, reaching gale force, were predicted for the next 24 hours.

Nazi May See Carol

BERLIN (AP)—A fresh indication of German activity in southeastern Europe came late today with a report from Bucharest that Herbert Goering, cousin of Field Marshal Hermann Goering, is in the Rumanian capital seeking conferences with King Carol.

Deport Nazi 'Tourists'

BUCHAREST (CP-Havas)—Rumanian authorities tonight said a number of German army staff officers disguised as tourists have been discovered in the town of Sibiu, in central Rumania, and deported.

The persons who harbored the "tourists" have been arrested, it was stated.

Saboteurs Arrested

STOCKHOLM (CP-Havas)—Discovery of a powerfully-armed sabotage ring was disclosed tonight with the arrest of G. Rittmann, merely identified as "a foreigner," whose home was said by police to have been turned into a bomb-manufacturing plant.

Rittmann's Swedish secretary, Elsa Johansson, was among those arrested.

Among material listed as found in Rittmann's home were 400 pounds of explosives, 324 incendiary bombs, 300 percussion caps, loaded mines, time clocks, detonators and fuses.

Victorian Third

VANCOUVER (CP)—Beatrice Rogers, Vancouver, captured the silver salver donated by Arthur Benjamin, last year's festival adjudicator, with 87 marks at the B.C. Musical Festival here today.

Second in this new competition for Beethoven students, came Glen Geary, Vancouver, with 86 marks, and Evelyn Harper, Victoria, with 85 marks was third.

Finalists chosen to compete for honors in the girls' solo class, high voice under 17, were Patricia Kerr, Vancouver, 86 marks; Dorothy Craig, Victoria, 85; Ninon Houston, Nanaimo, 84.

Britain to Take Paper From Canada

LONDON (CP)—British newspaper interests today agreed to import 325,000 tons of newsprint from Canadian and Newfoundland mills during the coming year.

The value of the order to the Canadian and Newfoundland newsprint industry is approximately \$4,000,000 (\$17,000,000).

Canada's share of the order will be about 200,000 tons, the remainder going to two Newfoundland mills, International and Anglo-Newfoundland.

When Bomber Crashes



Results of the "strangest accident of the war," after a German Heinkel bombing plane crashed into an apartment house at Clacton-on-Sea, England, while on a bombing raid over the British coast.

The bomber, put out of commission by anti-aircraft fire, struck with terrific impact, killing four members of its crew, two civilians and injuring 163 other civilians. (Acme telephoto).

May Review Gas Situation Now War Is Settled

British Columbia's gas war has been settled for the time being at least by the agreement reached late yesterday afternoon which reduces the price to the public two cents a gallon instead of three.

In a statement today the Petroleum Industries agreed to work under the plan as a "temporary basis" and supply the public with gasoline.

"We appreciate the spirit of understanding in which the government received our representations yesterday and gave us an assurance that in the near future the situation will be reviewed so that the industry will be enabled to operate on a basis that will afford a fair return," the statement said.

The government and the fuel control board, while inclined to think the arrangement could be continued, said it could be reviewed when the industry wished to submit arguments.

Dr. W. A. Carrothers, chairman of the control board, said the industry has agreed to furnish the board from time to time with full information on its cost structure.

"The board will continually study the fluctuations in the business and keep closely in touch with changing conditions," he said.

The chairman said he thought the position of retailers under the new order better than under the previous one.

ASSURED OF SPREAD

"On the base price they are absolutely assured of their spread. Previously they were at the mercy of any operator who wanted to cut his spread and sell cheaper. I went into this matter very thoroughly before Regulation 10 was passed and I feel confident most of them would prefer a guaranteed spread of 4 cents than a larger spread which might be reduced through 'chiseling'."

Details of the settlement are as forecast in yesterday's Times. The price of gasoline is now rigidly fixed and may not be varied up or down. The fixed price in Victoria is 26 cents for regular gasoline and 28 cents for premium.

The gasoline industry, the government says, has accepted control of its prices, while reserving the right to ask for a review of the whole situation in the near future.

Service station operators today reiterated their claim for a five-cent spread, but accepted the four-cent guaranteed spread on the distinct understanding it was on a temporary basis.

The government is going ahead with its plan to put a bill before the Legislature asking for authority to go into the gasoline business as a means of giving it an extra measure of control over gasoline as a public utility.

Pressure Grows But No Plunge By Italy Foreseen

ALEXANDRIA, Egypt (CP-Reuters)—British and French naval forces arrived here today. Concentration of "a British and French battle fleet, with cruisers and auxiliary craft" here in the eastern end of the Mediterranean near the Suez Canal was announced yesterday in London by Prime Minister Chamberlain.

By CHARLES H. GUPTILL
ROME (AP)—Reinforcement of the Allied naval power in the Mediterranean was seen today as a move toward applying pressure on Italy for clarification of her "nonbelligerent" status.

The Allied action, announced yesterday by Prime Minister Chamberlain, left Italians outwardly calm and while Fascists insisted Italy is fully prepared to act the moment Premier Mussolini should give the order, observers saw some evidence that that day is not looked for immediately.

With the liner Rex en route to New York and other crack Italian liners on the high seas, they considered a sudden move now unlikely.

SHIP REPORTS

Anxiety in some quarters, however, was heightened last night when shipping circles in Genoa reported British vessels in that port had received orders to leave the Mediterranean at once and return to England by way of the Suez Canal. Today the British consul said he knew of no such orders.

The British on Tuesday announced that "pronouncements by Italians in responsible positions and the attitude of the Italian press... make it necessary for His Majesty's government to take precautions as regards British shipping which would normally pass through the Mediterranean."

FORCES MASSED

ATHENS, Greece (AP)—Information received in diplomatic quarters in Athens today said that Italian troops, warships and fighting planes were being concentrated in large numbers in the Dodecanese Islands in the eastern Mediterranean.

The islands are an Italian-owned group in the Aegean between Greece and Turkey approximately 400 miles airline northwest of Alexandria, where a British and French battle fleet concentrated today.

The Italian concentrations were reported especially heavy at the Island of Rhodes, 375 miles from Alexandria.

Diplomatic observers said the information, if confirmed, would explain the action of the Allies in moving naval strength into the eastern Mediterranean as well as extraordinary defence measures recently taken in Egypt.

Diplomatic reports said there were between 30,000 and 55,000 Italian troop reinforcements already on the Dodecanese Islands to strengthen the regular garrisons.

Allies Re-embark, Quit South Norway

LONDON (CP)—A War Office announcement tonight said: "In accordance with the general plan of withdrawal from the immediate neighborhood of Trondheim, Allied troops were re-embarked at Namsos last night (Namsos is 90 miles north of Trondheim.)"

"The withdrawal and re-embarkation were carried out with complete success and without loss. Allied troops advancing in the Narvik area (far northern Norway) were counter-attacked on May 1 and 2 by the enemy. Both attacks were repulsed. Many enemy dead were left in front of our positions and some prisoners were taken by the Allied troops."

FIGHTING NOW AROUND NARVIK

Unofficial advices from Norway received tonight reported a series of battles between Allied and German troops in the Narvik region, notably at Elvegardsmoen on Harjangan Fjord, where British reinforcements were reported landed.

By GUNNAR KNUTSSON

ON THE STEINKJER FRONT, Northern Norway (AP)—British and French troops which had landed north of German-held Trondheim for the campaign against the Nazi invasion embarked last night in Namsos harbor and sailed away.

The entrance of German troops into this sector is awaited.

The new withdrawal north of Trondheim followed the removal of Allied forces from the Andalsnes region south of Trondheim and apparently left the Narvik area in the far north the only part of Norway occupied by Allied troops.

Despite denials given out last

night, it was obvious then that the British forces intended to leave the Steinkjer area (60 miles north of Trondheim and 30 miles south of Namsos.)

LEAVE SUPPLIES

This first became clear to me when late last night I tried to get to Namsos. A British officer told me that if I did succeed in getting through I could not get back. I therefore assumed something was going on which I was not supposed to witness.

The Norwegians were suffering from lack of ammunition and other supplies and the British forces left for them at Namsos great quantities of supplies, including trucks and high-wheeled army cars. The British troops embarked on six large transport ships escorted by several destroyers.

All available Norwegian trucks and cars have been mustered to rush the supplies down to the Norwegian troops remaining on the Steinkjer front.

PATROLS AT TROMSO

STOCKHOLM (AP)—British sources late today confirmed that British troops had withdrawn from the Steinkjer area, north of Trondheim, following removal of Allied forces south of Trondheim through the port of Andalsnes.

These informants indicated the only major Allied forces now in Norway are on the outskirts of Narvik, seeking to wrest that Arctic iron ore shipping centre from a besieged German garrison.

They gave no details of the withdrawals, but indicated there might also be a few patrols left near Tromso, 125 miles north of Narvik.

Norse Give Up, Feel Allies Deserted Them

STOCKHOLM (AP)—Dispatches from Grong, Norway, tonight said the Norwegian command had announced the conclusion of hostilities in the Grong area, east of Namsos, and the Norwegians' intention of negotiating peace with the Germans.

The dispatches said the following order of the day was issued by Col. O. B. Getz, acting Norwegian commander: "As the British and French, for reasons unknown to us, have given up helping us in our fight and have withdrawn their troops from Namsos, we today stand alone against the entire German war machine, already outflanked and encircled on a line which the British and French should be holding, without aid from the outside and with only enough ammunition for one day, and without

planes and other necessary war materials.

"Any further fighting would only lead to destruction without serving any military purpose."

"I therefore am notifying the German military command to establish contact for the purpose of establishing peace in the Trondhlag district (around Trondheim), as has been done in the southern part of the country."

"It is my heavy duty as acting commander of Trondhlag to give this notice to my soldiers."

"To this communique Getz appended the following: "It was an incomprehensible action on the part of the British and French, without notifying me, to lay open my flanks and rear, so that I was cut off from any possible retreat toward Mosjoen (north of Namsos)."

Fifteen submarines were said to be lying off Rhodes, and many fighting planes were reported based at the Island of Leros.

It's a Memory . . .



The gas war is over and motorists no longer have to hunt up friends to try and get a few gallons of fuel to keep their cars rolling. Above is one of the last scenes on the gas front before the peace terms were announced late yesterday afternoon. The Times cameraman snapped this picture of a gasless car, whose owner parked it on the street and posted his appeal to the police. A constable reads the sign. The owner was not "pinched."

Jubilee Hospital Plans Inspected



Members of the board of directors of the Royal Jubilee Hospital conferred yesterday on plans for the new \$148,000 wing with Walter Luney, the contractor. From left to right are: Alderman J. A. Worthington, E. W. McMullen, chairman of the building committee; Dr. T. W. Walker, medical superintendent; Mr. Luney, Charles Williams, H. A. Tomalin, president of the board, and S. J. Drake. Victoria citizens will be asked to subscribe \$57,000 to the wing, so that it may be fully paid for when completed.

WISE TO QUIT, SIMON ASSERTS

LONDON (CP)—Sir John Simon, Chancellor of the Exchequer, said in a speech here tonight that when the British Empire understands what happened in Norway it will conclude that the Allied action was wise.

"I am quite confident," he said, "that when the whole situation is laid before an impartial public its judgment will be that the action decided upon was wisely taken upon the best advice."

Sir John said that if anyone wished to fasten responsibility on one minister or another he would be woefully disappointed. Outlines of the situation to be made by Prime Minister Chamberlain and the First Lord of the Admiralty, Winston Churchill, he added, will make it plain that there is no room for distinctions.

"The joint responsibility which constitutionally attaches to every member of the War Cabinet corresponds to a complete agreement between us all as to the course to be followed," he told a National Liberal meeting at Caxton Hall.

The Chancellor said that in the first direct grip of the war between Germany and the Allies "we had to meet and overthrow an opponent of enormous strength, organized and prepared to the last possible degree for the struggle."

Sir John said he would not attempt to "embroider or expatiate" on what the Prime Minister said Thursday regarding the events in Norway. The general feeling of the country, he asserted, would "entirely support" the Prime Minister's determination to reveal nothing that might help the enemy.

"Our fellow countrymen everywhere are exercising the good British virtue of suspending judgment until they know the relevant facts of a complicated story," he said.

"No sacrifice is too great to destroy this (German) threat to liberty, and whatever betide, we will endure and persist until the day of victory dawns."

'Britain Must Speed Blows,' Says Sea Lord

LONDON (CP)—Rear-Admiral Bruce Fraser, Third Sea Lord, told a luncheon of the Iron and Steel Institute at Grosvenor House today that experience in Norway shows Great Britain must become "quicker off the mark" in future war operations.

Of the German navy he said that "from the naval point of view we are quite sure that when a German is faced with something near equality of strength he will not face it."

The British navy, he added, "is in no way downhearted and never will be downhearted."

ROGERS BUSY

LONDON (CP)—Hon. Norman Rogers, Canadian Minister of National Defence, today lunched with Hon. Vincent Massey, Canadian High Commissioner, conferred with the military, met the high commissioner's staff, went to the War Office for another conference and dined with Lord Riverdale.

Tomorrow he will again visit Aldershot, returning to London for luncheon with Sir Archibald Sinclair.

30 Reported Killed

LONDON (CP)—A Reuters dispatch from Stockholm tonight said the Grong correspondent of the newspaper Aftonbladet reported 30 men killed and 60 wounded when a British destroyer was hit by a bomb at Namsos.

Sanity Test

LONDON (CP)—A man arrested for bearing arms at London's Euston Station last night shortly before the King and Queen arrived there from Lancashire was sent to jail today for a week pending submission of a medical report on his case.

The man, John West, 38, an engineer, was charged with carrying an air pistol and a sheath knife "with intent to commit a felonious act."

KNUT HAMSUN SCORES BRITAIN

OSLO (AP)—Knut Hamsun, Norwegian novelist who won the Nobel Prize for Literature in 1920, today sent all Oslo newspapers a manifesto accusing the British of infringing on Norway's neutrality and urging Norwegians to lay down their arms against Germany.

Mr. Hamsun is one of the intellectuals of Norway, being to the Norwegian people what Jan Sibellius is to the Finns. He was born August 4, 1859, in Norway.

Nazis Fighting For Life, Says Hitler

BERLIN (AP)—Adolf Hitler in a surprise address in the Sportsplatz today declared the war is "a fight for being, or not of being, of the German people."

Hitler spoke before 6,000 army and air force officers and leaders of the SS, black-shirted elite guard.

The German news agency, in reporting the event, said Field Marshal Hermann Goering also addressed the gathering.

EVACUATED TROOPS SENT TO NARVIK?

PARIS (AP)—British troops withdrawn from the Norwegian area south of Trondheim were reported today to have been taken north to the Narvik sector to reinforce other British troops and French "Blue Devils" operating in the far north area.

The reports were unofficial, but a War Office spokesman said additional "strategic shifting" of troops was possible. The Allies have found, he added, that such shifts are more practical by sea than over Norway's poor roads.

The spokesman also described the action at Narvik as "clean-up" operations, and said the Nazis at the ore port, on the defensive, were being hunted out of hiding by Allied forces.

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HITLER CALLS PAPER

ANKARA, Turkey (AP)—Franz von Papen, German ambassador to Turkey, was authoritatively reported today to have been called to Berlin for a conference with Adolf Hitler and to have arranged to leave tonight by train.

Gorillas often attain a height of six feet and have a reach of eight feet.

Unfriendly U.S. Paper Gets Ontario Newspaper

TORONTO (CP)—The special legislative committee investigating Ontario's timber policy today received a letter from E. W. Bickle, Toronto stockbroker, complaining that a United States newspaper which operates a newsprint mill in Ontario has taken an "unfriendly" attitude toward the Allies.

Hon. Paul Leduc, Ontario minister of mines and chairman of the committee, said the letter referred to a newsprint company, one of several owned by United States papers, which are exempted from complying with the Ontario-Quebec pro-ration system whereby newsprint business is apportioned among the various companies.

Mr. Leduc declined to release the letter, which was accompanied by a number of newspaper clippings, but instructed the committee's secretary to write Mr. Bickle and inform him the committee would permit him to testify regarding contents of his letter.

Mr. Bickle also declined to release the letter.

TELFORD TO PRESS FOR GAS SALE RIGHT

VANCOUVER (CP)—Mayor Lyle Telford said today he will continue to press for a charter amendment allowing the city to go into the retail gasoline business when the British Columbia Legislature meets in special session May 8.

Shortly after an agreement between the major oil companies of the province and the British Columbia government was announced late yesterday and oil deliveries resumed to retailers, the mayor dropped his plans to import gasoline from Seattle as an emergency measure.

The mayor expressed satisfaction that a settlement had been reached.

"I'm glad it's settled," he said. "But this all goes to show that we certainly need a yardstick on price control in this province. What we really need is a co-operative."

Light travels fast enough to make 31 round trips between New York and San Francisco in one second.

R.A.F. Takes Toll In New Raids On Nazi Bases

LONDON (CP)—An air ministry announcement today said:

"The large Danish airfield known as Ry, lying in open country on the shore of Lake Salten, Langso in north Jutland, is known to be extensively used by the enemy in connection with operations by the enemy in Norway."

"This air base has been heavily and successfully bombed by Royal Air Force aircraft."

"The attacks began yesterday evening and continued during the night."

"A daylight attack was made on Stavanger (Norway) and both this base and Fornebu (airport outside Oslo) also were bombed during the night."

"Numerous R.A.F. aircraft were engaged throughout yesterday in providing protection against air attack for the convoy transporting British military forces from Andalsnes."

"No British aircraft was lost in any of these operations." (Prime Minister Chamberlain told the Commons yesterday the force withdrawn from Andalsnes was being carried "elsewhere," but he did not name the point.)

NAVY FLIERS PRAISED

The Admiralty issued a communique today which said:

"We are proud of the fleet air arm. A message of congratulation in these words has been signalled to officers and men of the fleet air arm who for the past week have been taking part in sustained and large scale operations in Norway, during which they have achieved the most brilliant success."

"Severe losses have been inflicted on enemy aircraft attempting to bomb Allied troops and ships in Norway, while the most vigorous attacks have been pressed home against vital German bases, transports and supply ships."

"From the evening of Wednesday, April 24, onward naval aircraft have been supporting our forces on land against a vastly superior air force working from shore bases. In the course of these operations alone at least 10 enemy aircraft have been destroyed."

Four British airmen, who bailed out when their plane was hit by anti-aircraft fire, were captured, the Germans claimed. A fifth occupant, wounded in the plane, crashed with the craft near Drammen, 25 miles southwest of Oslo on the east side of Oslo fjord.

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ACCIDENTAL DEATH

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RAID ON TRONDHEIM

"On Thursday, April 25, naval aircraft delivered an attack in force on enemy bases and shipping in the Trondheim area. At Varnes, three large hangars were destroyed and other buildings on the airfield were damaged and destroyed."

"A grounded enemy bomber aircraft and nine seaplanes at their moorings were successfully attacked with bombs and machine gun fire."

"At Thanshavn two enemy tankers were set on fire, while four supply ships and two transports were attacked with good results and a direct hit was obtained on a large store depot."

"On Sunday, April 28, naval aircraft returned to attack at Varnes, when in a most determined onslaught all remaining hangars on the airfield were destroyed together with several grounded aircraft."

"The attack on enemy flying boats and seaplanes achieved excellent results. In the course of these operations five enemy aircraft were shot down. On the same day three naval aircraft were shot down."

TWO NAZIS BAGGED

"On the same day three naval aircraft broke up an attack on one of His Majesty's carriers by seven enemy aircraft. Two of the enemy aircraft were brought down."

"Operations of this magnitude must inevitably be attended by some loss and it is regretted that crews of six aircraft are missing. Details of casualties are being communicated to the next of kin as soon as possible."

"Since the German invasion of Norway His Majesty's ships have been exposed to repeated enemy bombing attacks. No losses other than those already announced have been incurred, while at least 20 enemy aircraft have been shot down and others damaged by anti-aircraft gunfire of the fleet."

RAID ON OSLO

OSLO (AP)—British bombers raided this German-occupied capital of Norway last night for the third time in a week, a German announcement said today, claiming one raider had been shot down.

The Germans claimed several houses were set afire by incendiary bombs.

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Nazi Planes Far Superior, Air Chief Warns

WASHINGTON—Germany's fighting airplanes in the European war have rendered obsolete planes of other countries, a startled Senate committee learned today.

Coming on the heels of Secretary of the Navy Edison's declaration yesterday that bombing, particularly as developed by Germany, has made necessary revision of defence structure of warships, today's evidence revealed modernization of planes also is essential to national defence, committee members declared.

Senator Thomas, Democrat, Oklahoma, chairman of a Senate appropriations subcommittee, asserted after testimony by Maj. Gen. Henry H. Arnold, chief of the army air corps, that current aircraft "could not stand up" to German planes in the field of air combat because of these three features developed by Germany:

1. Self-sealing gasoline tanks.
2. Protective armor for pilots and crews.
3. Large-calibre guns, sufficient to crash enemy craft.

"The German planes have opened the eyes of the War Department," Thomas said. "They have rendered obsolete even our latest planes, though some of our planes now under order will be so equipped."

COMPLETE REPLANNING

"In the purely combat field, we do not today have planes that could stand up against the German fighters. In the field of fighting airplanes, we are just beginning. There must be a complete replanning and reconstruction of the straight combat planes in the United States air corps."

"One German plane shot down in Scotland," said Senator Lodge, a member of the Senate subcommittee, "was literally riddled with bullets. They quit counting when they got up to 10,000 bullet holes found in the plane. There were more than 100 bullet holes in the gasoline tank, we were told, and it still held more than 80 gallons of gas."

PILOTS PROTECTED

Thomas said that in many cases, though planes were hit scores of times by bullets, and the planes disabled, the pilots were uninjured when they brought their planes to earth—protected by the plane's armor, Thomas added.

"On some of the planes were found powerful guns, capable of playing havoc with almost any other ship of the air. This shows we must reorganize our air corps equipment, and provide these modern defences, weapons and appliances that will bring us up to an equality in combat with any other nation."

vided in the \$380,000,000 army supply bill which the Thomas subcommittee is considering: will be equipped with modern weapons, self-sealing gas tanks, and protective armor for pilots and crews, he said. They are to be delivered by July 1, 1941.

GREATER PRODUCTION

General Arnold declared the speeded-up production of American aircraft plants would make it possible to produce 6,000 planes by that time. With plant production speeded up by July 1 of next year, he said, it not only could be possible to turn out 17,000 planes annually, but, by increasing working shifts, a production of "30,000 to 40,000" planes annually could be attained.

3 More Victims Of Mad Killer Found

PITTSBURGH (AP)—Disembodied bodies of three men, who might be the victims of the "mad butcher" blamed for 12 torso slayings in Cleveland, were found today in the Pittsburgh and Lake Erie Railroad yards in nearby Stowe Township.

Deputy Coroner Anthony Sappo said the word "Nazi" had been carved on the chest of the third victim, found several hours after the discovery of the first two torsos.

Two had been mutilated and it was first believed they were women.

Letters forming the word "Nazi" were cut deeply into the body and were about five inches high. They began at the mid-section and ran upwards, ending just below the neck.

Angus McKinnon Dies at Duncan

DUNCAN—The death occurred Wednesday night at the home of his son, Lachlan, of a well-known figure in the history and development of Duncan in the person of Angus McKinnon, Mr. McKinnon was born at Madoc, Ont., in 1856. In 1887 he came to Vancouver, where he engaged in general contracting. Two years later he came to Duncan, where he operated a sawmill for four years. He next purchased a farm of 120 acres, part of which today is part of the city. He gave a plot of ground to the King's Daughters for a hospital, and cleared much of the land on which the city of Duncan is laid out.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Auspices Solarium W.A.—Three act comedy, "Safety First," by Young People's Department of Church of Our Lord, tonight, 8.15 o'clock, Cridge Memorial Hall. Tickets 35c. ***

Bandage material running low. Please help us continue by bringing in old sheets, old or new flannellette, cotton, linen, clothes for refugees, donations for X-ray fund. Committee for Medical Aid of China, 617 Broughton Street, 2 to 5 p.m., Wednesday and Thursday mornings. E 4725. ***

Rummage Sale May 4, 1900 Blanshard, Junior C.W.L. ***

Rummage Sale—Auspices of Junior Auxiliary, Protestant Organization, Trousseau Alley, May 4, 9 to 1 p.m. ***

Rummage Sale, Saturday, May 4, 9 a.m., 735 Pandora, St. Alban's Guild. ***

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1929	100.8	100.0	94.9	99.9	99.0	95.6
1930	82.3	93.1	86.7	99.2	90.8	86.6
1931	56.3	70.4	79.7	89.6	81.9	72.1
1932	48.4	61.5	76.9	81.3	77.2	66.7
1933	51.0	63.8	76.2	77.5	78.3	67.1
1934	59.0	69.7	77.4	78.6	82.5	71.6
1935	63.0	70.4	74.6	79.1	81.2	72.1
1936	69.4	73.4	74.6	80.8	85.3	74.6
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Britain warns Italy she must soon declare herself and that any move against Yugoslavia will be considered a hostile act. Premier Mussolini ponders what course to steer in the conflict between the Allies and Germany, the lands and seas surrounding Italy remain tense as the Balkans prepare for any attempted invasion on the part of Germany. The Allied and Turkish fleets are at full strength in the Mediterranean and Aegean as they keep close watch on the Italian navy which is at present undergoing manoeuvres off the Dodecanese Islands.

Planes Fail Against Warships

British Naval Experts Say U-Boats Beaten

LONDON (CP)—British naval experts, surveying the first eight months of war, today expressed belief Germany's submarines had been "mastered" and that air attacks on warships had proved a "complete failure" except where the ships were stationary.

In view of new tension in the Mediterranean additional interest was aroused by the assertion of the experts, writing in the authoritative Brassey's Naval Annual, that Italy with 106 submarines completed and 23 building has the world's strongest undersea fleet but for "the reputed exception of Russia."

The publication records completion of the 35,000-ton Italian battleships Littorio and Vittorio Veneto, armed with nine 15-inch guns as compared with 10 14-inch guns of the five British battleships of the same tonnage "now being put into commission."

The annual adds that "rapid progress" is being made on Italy's third and fourth ships of

this same class and that old battleships are being reconstructed and modernized.

Italy's 23 submarines under construction include one class armed with 14 18-inch torpedo tubes, the annual says.

Lottery Award Suit in Alberta

EDMONTON (CP)—Mr. Justice T. M. Tweedie in Alberta Supreme Court chambers granted the crown the right to stave action for the recovery of money won by an Edmonton district woman in a "mutual benefit" lottery conducted in Calgary in January.

Mrs. Anna Didyk won \$1,000 on a 50-cent lottery ticket sold her by her husband. Subsequently, Nancy and Orlia Tefance filed a statement of claim at the Court-house here, asking \$666 of the \$1,000, claiming they had a one-third share each in the ticket.

Also named as a defendant in the action of the women was C. F. Cook, Calgary, who was described in the original statement of claim as manager of the Benefit Association which awarded the prize.

Action of the women had been set down for trial in the Supreme Court here. Claim of the crown, on behalf of the province, will mean the trial will not be heard until after the crown's claim on the money is disposed of.

Crown counsel J. J. Frawley, K.C., was given until next Wednesday to file suit on behalf of the province.

KELOWNA, B.C. (CP)—A novel cold storage plan is proposed by a group of Kelowna business men headed by Gordon Herbert. They seek permission from the city to bore a huge hole in Knox Mountain and use the space for storing fruit.

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Nazis Say Norway Being 'Pacified'

BERLIN (AP)—The German high command's communique today said:

"After the last British troops evacuated the Adalsnes region and the city itself was in German hands, the pacification of all Norway is making rapid progress.

"The demobilization of Norwegian troops in west Norway is proceeding. German clean-up troops are meeting resistance only at isolated spots from dispersed Norwegian units who are without knowledge of the situation in general.

"The enemy remained quiet north of Trondheim. "Enemy forces were slowly advancing toward our positions north and southwest of Narvik. Attacks were repelled by our patrols.

"German naval forces, successfully continuing a submarine hunt in the Skagerrak, destroyed two additional U-boats.

"As reported in a special announcement, the air force May 1 succeeded in dispersing an enemy naval unit with the certainty that one airplane carrier and one destroyer and probably a second airplane carrier were hit by bombs of medium calibre and two enemy chasers shot down.

(There was no report in London that any aircraft carriers had been touched.)

The air force on May 2 again raided enemy forces. One cruiser was severely damaged by two square hits forward. The effects of bombs on a second cruiser were not observed in detail because of fog. One larger transport ship was sunk by two square hits of medium calibre.

(The claims of damage to cruisers likewise were not confirmed in London.)

"Several airports in Norway and Denmark were bombed by the British without success."

PRESS BOASTS

The morning press devoted practically all its front pages to the taking over of Andalsnes, boasting that Allied resistance had been smashed.

Similar optimism was expressed in foreign office circles. A spokesman voiced the opinion that the withdrawal from Andalsnes, in which large quantities of war supplies were said by Germans to have been left behind, was only the beginning, and that "the rest of Norway will soon be abandoned by the Allies."

Under the heading "Gallipoli 1940" the newspaper Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung compared the British retreat from strategic Andalsnes with what happened to the Allies 25 years ago when they tried to force an entrance into the Dardanelles Strait, which leads to the Black Sea.

The commentary Dienst aus Deutschland said that all of central and southern Norway south of Steinkjer is in German hands.

With possession of all railways and other lines of communication connecting Oslo, Bergen and Trondheim, the commentary claimed, the Norwegian campaign in that region is practically concluded.

The statement of Prime Minister Chamberlain that Allied sea forces in the Mediterranean had been strengthened was described by Dienst aus Deutschland as "an English attempt to expand the theatre of war to southeastern Europe."

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CAREFUL CHECK ON ALLOWANCES

OTTAWA (CP)—The Dominion government acts as a guardian of a soldier's wife and children while he is serving with the Canadian Active Service Force, according to officials of the Dependents' Allowance and Assigned Pay Board.

Regulations of the board concerning the allowance cheques sent to dependents prevent victimizing of soldiers' wives and children by unscrupulous persons, and also provide for protection of children's interests in a case where a mother is improvident.

The dependents' allowance must be considered a gratuity rather than a "right," it was said. An allowance is granted only when a member of the C.A.S.F. assigns half his pay to the family. Allowance for wives range upwards from \$35 a month for a private or equivalent rank, with additional allowance of \$12 a month for each child up to a maximum of two child dependents.

The combined assigned pay and allowance cheques may be used to liquidate back debts or for any purpose desired, board officials said. However, where investigations reveal abuses, the board has power to take special measures.

Should a mother be found to be squandering her allowances to the detriment of her children, the cheque may be stopped and the money sent in trust to the local Children's Aid Society or other welfare agency for proper administration for the children's sake. In other cases government agencies assume control of the household financial administration.

The cheques may not be assigned, attached or given as security for any purpose whatsoever.

Ethel W. Mumford Dies

NEW YORK (AP)—Mrs. Ethel Watts Mumford Grant, playwright, poet and novelist, who wrote under the name of Ethel Watts Mumford, died yesterday.

Among her many plays were "It Pays to Smile," "Sick-a-bed" and "Easy Money." Her books included "Dupes," published in 1901, "The Hundred Love Songs of Kamal," "Out of the Ashes," "The Wedding Song" and "The Pageant of the Seven Seas."

Canadians Talk Trade in Japan

YOKOHAMA (CP-Havas)—An unofficial Canadian trade mission which hopes to improve Canadian-Japanese commercial relations, arrived here today aboard the Japanese liner Helan Maru.

The party, which came at the invitation of the Japanese Foreign Trade Association, includes Mayne D. Hamilton of Vancouver, John T. Hackett, K.C., and Alfred H. Paradis of Montreal. They will leave Japan June 3.

Mr. Hackett was quoted by Domei (Japanese news agency) as saying:

"From what I know of the two countries, Japan and Canada are almost in complete antithesis. Canada is a comparatively young country, and Japan has a long, distinguished history.

"Canada covers an immense area, while Japan is a comparatively small country. Canada is very sparsely populated, while Japan is densely populated. Canada is rich in raw materials, while Japan has an intensified industrial life.

"Taking all these things into consideration, there is in my opinion no reason why ground cannot be found for general improvement of trade between our two countries, but since I am a lawyer by profession I am very anxious to study the judiciary system of Japan as well as its educational system.

"However, since we are here on an economic mission, we hope to be able to find greater markets in Japan for our wheat, beef, lumber, copper, nickel and asbestos.

"At present Japan buys a great deal of our copper and asbestos and some wood pulp, as well as lumber.

"On the other hand, there is no reason why we cannot buy spices, tea and raw silk from Japan. While it is true we have many rayon factories in Canada, there are few silk plants."

Happy Workers Efficient

Efficiency experts say that happy staffs do more and better work than those working under bullying or nagging supervisors. Nearly half of the working time of unhappy staffs is wasted, they claim.

New Canadian Army Trucks Displayed

OTTAWA (CP)—Some of the wheels on which the modern Canadian army will move into action were displayed when Hon. C. G. Power, Acting Minister of National Defence, inspected new mechanical transport units.

The powerful, dull brown vehicles were put through their paces, plunging through a rough, soft, muddy, ditch-cut section of the Rockcliffe air station.

Their construction in Canada is due to the co-operation of the large automobile companies, Ford and General Motors, with one another and with the Department of National Defence.

The vehicles on display included trucks of 800 pounds capacity for carrying light stores, or personnel, or for the operation of field wireless sets; trucks of 1,500 pounds capacity for carrying heavy loads, larger bodies of men, pulling anti-tank guns or for wireless equipment or water tanks; trucks of 3,000 pounds capacity for still bigger loads, field workshops, stores, wrecking equipment and gun tractors for hauling field guns and carrying gun detachments with a limited quantity of stores.

California Fails To Oust Russell

LOS ANGELES (AP)—The district court of appeal has denied the petition of I. R. Wall, former Baptist minister of Fresno, Calif., for an injunction to halt the salary of Bertrand Russell, British savant, as a philosophy instructor of the University of California at Los Angeles.

Wall attacked Russell's writings and teachings on sex and government as "against custom, usage and laws."

5 Brothers in Army

CALGARY (CP)—Five sons of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Davidson of Calgary have joined various units of the Empire's fighting forces. William, 28, is a sergeant-major with the Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps at Calgary; Edward, 26, is training as an air gunner with the R.C.A.F. at St. Thomas, Ont.; Barry is a flying officer with the R.A.F. in England; John, 23, served three years with the Calgary Highlanders and is now with the R.C.O.C. and Russell, 22, is with the R.C.A.F. at Vancouver.

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Principle Succeeded

BRITISH COLUMBIA'S AUTOMOBILE owners and the public generally are naturally well satisfied that the government and the oil companies discovered means yesterday afternoon through which the flow of gasoline from service station pumps could be resumed. They are gratified to know also that the deadlock which had threatened serious consequences to the economy of the province was circumvented by a mutual recognition of the interests of all concerned. The oil companies are to be congratulated for their acceptance of the principle which the law demanded the government and the Coal and Petroleum Products Control Board rigidly defend. The board and the ministry likewise are to be commended for the concession to which they agreed in view of the unusual circumstances of these times—circumstances, of course, that were nonexistent when the price-reducing edict was issued last August. It is not necessary to labor the point at this juncture that if the purveyors of motor fuel had appraised the control board of increased costs, due to war conditions, and applied for a new order when they knew the contents of the judgment of the Supreme Court of Canada, a troublesome and somewhat costly suspension of an important public service could have been prevented.

In the final analysis, however, the government had no choice in the matter. It could recognize only the law. The British Columbia Court of Appeal had first of all approved the legislation under which the Coal and Petroleum Products Control Board was established. An appeal against that judgment failed on reference to the Supreme Court of Canada which, on April 23, declared the Legislature of this province to be competent to enact such a measure. In other words, the premier legal tribunal of British Columbia and the highest court of the land had furnished the very substantial ground which the provincial government took—and on which it still stands—when it refused to compromise by abdicating authority under circumstances now well known to the public. Hence, as we have said before in these columns, the issue involved a fundamental principle. It was not a question of whether it was a good law or a bad law.

Nor should there be any quarrel with the government's decision to summon the Legislature to discuss this problem in all its ramifications and implications. Primarily, it is one which concerns approximately 120,000 licensed automobile owners, or, directly or indirectly, the interests of all the population of British Columbia. The inevitable discussion, however, may conceivably resolve itself into a question of policy as it relates to the government's association with a phase of economic control on which public opinion, here and elsewhere, is sharply divided. This is not to suggest that the session of the House to be held next week should be marked by a protracted political exploration in the wide controversial field of public ownership and direction versus private enterprise. But the fact that the dispute, now temporarily composed, no longer remains in the category of academics presupposes that some members will wax eloquent on the broad subject of government control and its relationship to economics and the public interest. It is the privilege and duty of the people's representatives to speak their minds freely and frankly as servants of the people.

In the meantime, Minister of Finance Hart will resume his collection of revenue from the gasoline tax. Motorists will look forward to this week-end with greater glee than they contemplated last week-end. It is to be hoped that prospective visitors from other parts of Canada and from the United States have not been unduly alarmed and that they are now aware they will encounter no discomfort through lack of gasoline service in British Columbia. These are matters, of course, with which the province's travel bureau and other agencies can be depended upon to deal promptly and efficiently.

Hitler Not So Sure?

A DOLF HITLER TOLD A GATHERING of army and air force officers and leaders of the black-shirted elite guard in Berlin today that the war is "a fight for being, or not of being, of the German people." Separated from its context, it is not easy to try to evaluate the precise meaning of the Fuehrer's phrase, but it at least would seem to have been used for the purpose of a new type of "pep talk"—if the vulgarism may be pardoned—which reveals a striking absence of the bombast characteristic of the Nazi leader's diatribes. If Hitler, at long last recognizes that the German people, in common with the peoples of the Allied countries, must make up their minds to the stark realities of the conflict, regard it as really a life-and-death struggle, the rest of the world will take larger grains of salt with future claims of victory that are not accompanied by irrefutable and visible proof.

This latest announcement from the head of the Reich, moreover, synchronizes with the somewhat strange interpretations that are being put on Allied strategy—originally and now—in Norway. Mr. Chamberlain scouts the idea that the Norwegian campaign is a sideshow. None better than Hitler knows that the ledger to date shows Germany seriously "in the red." This must strike him forcibly as he contemplates that large

Allied fleet in the eastern Mediterranean, the vigorous methods employed by the governments of all the Balkan states to rid their respective countries of Nazi agents who might have been trying to prepare the ground according to the technique applied to Norway, and as he ponders the recent announcements from Brussels and The Hague, intimating, in Belgium's case, that the Belgium of 1940 is not the Belgium of 1914.

Well may Hitler's compatriots recognize now that the war is "a fight for being, or not of being, of the German people." Nor do the Allies seem unduly alarmed by Italy's real or assumed truculence. Foreign Minister Count Ciano's alleged intimation to United States Ambassador Phillips that Il Duce had no war plans that could not wait another 10 days; his assurance that Jugoslavia will not be invaded, may mean much or little. If Mussolini does not propose to expand from Albania—if he proposes to expand at all—he can enter the war on the side of Germany only by attacking French or Swiss property, or by trying out some of his new ships against the Allied navies in the Mediterranean. In any event, the Norwegian affair, the exposed totalitarian technique, is serving a better purpose than surface results show.

Time Will Tell

ONE OF THE QUESTIONS BEING asked by not a few leaders of public thought in Great Britain at this stage is whether Russia is to be distinguished in any way from her chosen partner who first opened Europe to the march of ruin. It is being asked more particularly because evidence seems to be available which suggests that the Soviet is living up to the spirit and letter of her agreements with Latvia, Estonia and Lithuania—in striking contrast with the policies pursued by Germany in all territories which have come under Swastika control. The most convincing answer will be forthcoming, perhaps, when Moscow's association with Finland can be scrutinized in proper perspective. If it is found that this heroic nation is treated as the three Baltic states are treated, we shall know, as the Manchester Guardian observes, that "some part of that civilized code, utterly abandoned by Germany is still preserved by Soviet Russia."

The aftermath of a Nazi victory, of course, requires no detailed description at this late date: The shootings, the vengeful separation of man from wife and parents from children, the will to exterminate the vanquished as a people—this and more have been seen in Poland and Czechoslovakia. But Russia has yet to add infamy to aggression, yet to follow modern war by herding the beaten away from their homes in the Babylonian and German way. Thus Finland now becomes the touchstone of modern Russia. Nothing, no strategic need or political fear, can justify the brutal attack and the lives taken. The future, the next six months, will furnish the commentary on the Soviet's behaviour toward the assaulted and carved-up country. Stalin may yet salvage some of such prestige as he may have once possessed that will at least distinguish him from Hitler.

Snapshots for Gunshots

SAN FRANCISCO'S BRANCH OF THE Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals believes it is better for boys to get acquainted with game animals than to shoot them. But everybody likes to have a little sugar on his pills of persuasion, so the society offered to exchange a new camera for each workable gun brought in by a boy. Nearly 100 boys have been persuaded that hunting with a camera takes more skill and yields more fun than hunting with a gun. Whoever thought up this ingenious scheme would be a good nominee for a delegate to the next disarmament conference.

What we probably have been needing all along is half a dozen good labor-making inventions.

WHAT GERMANY PLANS

From Ottawa Citizen
It is impossible to foretell the hour of Germany's decision to unleash a knock-out blow. Sir Neville Henderson, former British ambassador to Berlin, said recently that the full blast of Germany's armed power would perhaps be hurled at the Allies before June. The enemy has to strike hard very soon to get the full advantage of initiative in preparedness.

Statements by responsible authorities in London and Paris would show that the Allies are under no illusion about the weight of German military power. They expect to be subject to the most devastating onslaught ever delivered by one nation against another, or one revolutionary force against an older order.

Estimates of German air power given out from neutral sources have the appearance of being fantastic when it is stated that Germany has 30,000 aircraft about ready. It may seem to be equally nothing more than enemy propaganda to be told that Germany is getting ready to send out 400 U-boats. The British and French have steadfastly refused to be alarmed by German threats or figures of armament, but neither are they being fooled into believing that the full striking power of the German military machine has been disclosed in air raids over the North Sea or in naval battles off the Norwegian coast. Whatever the reasons for German delay in trying to deliver a knock-out blow there are signs that the time of decisive battles is at hand.

Parallel Thoughts

The meek shall eat and be satisfied: they shall praise the Lord that seek him: your heart shall live for ever.—Psalms 22:26.
Selfish men may possess the earth; it is the meek only who inherit it from the Heavenly Father, free from all defilements and perplexities of unrighteousness.—Woolman.

Loose Ends

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

APPEAL

THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT, they tell me, hasn't more money these days than it knows what to do with. Therefore, it has little to spend on roads. Therefore the public works department isn't as busy as it used to be when it was building roads all over the place. Therefore, I think my friend Mr. Leary, the new minister of public works, will have time for a little exercise by the way.

So I ask Mr. Leary to succeed where all his predecessors have failed. I ask him, ever so faintly and humbly, after so many disappointments in the past, to go out and tear down, with his own hands if necessary, the new spring crop of advertising signs that have sprung up along our highways, contrary to the law of the land.

But do not stop there, Mr. Leary. Enforce the law, as you are bound to do by the oath of your high office. Enforce the law and hale those who erect signs into court and let justice be meted out to them. Do not let it be said longer that a man may be fined for speeding but he may defile the highways without danger. And if you, Mr. Leary, do no more, you will be remembered as the most useful minister of public works in the history of British Columbia, for you will have demonstrated that there is only one law, for small malefactors and powerful ones alike.

RABBIT

ALL PARENTS MUST be worried these days by the growing brutality of the young. Perhaps it is the result of the war, or the movies or the radio. I don't know. I can only point to the latest depredations of the little boy from next door who managed somehow to extort 35 cents from his father and went to the pet shop and bought a rabbit.

It is a nice soft, white rabbit, and will kiss you on the nose if you hold it up. We suggested many nice suitable names for the rabbit, like Fluff and Snowwhite. But nothing so nice and soft and Christian as that would satisfy the owner. Not in these days of violence on the screen and murder on the air.

Nor, the little boy from next door—and I present this as significant evidence of the world's current disease—has built a hutch for his rabbit. He has painted a beautiful sign over the hutch with the words: "Home, sweet home." And he has christened his rabbit Sluggo Joe.

There seems to me to be something peculiarly exquisite about the soft, white fluffy rabbit called Sluggo Joe (especially as it is about to produce a brood of little sluggers)—something that tells the story of our time.

MISREPRESENTATION

ONE WORD OF PROTEST I would like to utter against the pictures that litter the papers and magazines these days. I mean the pictures of gentlemen and ladies in gardening clothes, with gloves on their hands, kneeling in graceful postures over a bed of geraniums. These advertisements may thrill the ignorant populace, may make frail minds rush out and buy fertilizers and lawnmowers, but this isn't life, my friends, this isn't life. No gardener ever owned a gardening costume, male or female. Indeed, I will go further and say that no gardener ever owned a pair of gloves; or if he did, he never wore them more than five minutes. Physically it is impossible to garden in gloves. Spiritually it is impossible to garden in clothes designed for the purpose.

Nature, for deep reasons of its own, in a kind of universal leveling, a true democracy and a perfect humility, will only respond to gardeners wearing the most unsuitable garments, worn pants, battered hats and broken shoes. And never be deceived by the pictures of beautiful ladies in fancy hats caressing an azalea. No azalea ever bloomed for such a radiant creature; but nature, with a fine sense of justice, will turn out its fairest blossoms for a homely woman of middle age, wearing last year's tea dress and some tattered old dancing slippers.

No lettuce ever sprouted, no radish ever swelled, for a handsome young man in a Hollywood sports outfit, but put a tired business man into some torn tuxedo pants and last year's fedora and every tuber will swell in the earth, every fruit will fatten on the vine.

Nature pays no attention to fashion. She is unimpressed by clothes. She suspects the dressed-up, false pretender but invariably she recognizes the true believer by the patches, the tears and the grimy fingers.

INTEGRITY

If you have laughed at Fate and scorned to bend,

If you have fought back strongly from defeat,

Nor ever weakly cried, "This is the end,"

Nor sought to win because success is sweet;

If you have stayed your hand when you were strong,

Yet never begged for mercy when you lost,

Nor sought to quit when things were going wrong,

But fought your fight, and counted not the cost;

If you have shown mankind a steadfast face,

And shared your joys, but shed your tears alone,

And done your own small job—be this the case,

Then, win or lose, you've made this world your own.

JOHN LASKIER.

This eat-grass-for-vitamins thing is really taking hold. It seems that the mower you eat, the less you mow.

No Nazi-Reined Trojans To Gallop O'er Sweden



The map shows how Germany might concentrate troops at convenient embarkation points for attack on Sweden. Also shown are military factors that would figure in an invasion.

By THOMAS M. JOHNSON.

NO TROJAN horses can hurdle, no Fifth Column march over Sweden. The last Scandinavian democracy still unscathed is in far more danger of attack from without, than of treachery from within.

Swedes of all parties agree the few National Socialists within their gates are not even potential Trojan colts. Even so, the Nazis are being rounded up by the Swedish secret service, which has stopped their only newspaper and arrested one party member for having joined with volunteers returning from Finland in burning a Communist newspaper plant.

The charge is legalistic, for most Swedes like Communists about as well as they do Nazis, and the Hitler-Stalin pact about ended German influence in Sweden.

NAZIS NO GOOD HERE

Today the Nazi party is as popular in Sweden as the celebrated skunk at a garden party. It always was weaker in Sweden than in any other Scandinavian country. Although Sweden has proportional representation, the Nazis have never mustered votes enough to elect a single deputy to the Riksdag; nor even a day-catcher for the province of Lapland, where there are said to be few dogs.

Night Over Europe

Raymond B. Fosdick in Annual Report of Rockefeller Foundation

IN THE WAR that is now being carried on in Europe the sacrifices and the processes of disintegration have already begun. We can see now something of the extent of the disaster. The University of Warsaw has ceased to exist. According to reliable reports, the entire Polish faculty of the University of Cracow is in a concentration camp. The Polish members of the faculty of the University of Vilna have been dismissed.

Scarcely a year ago, the Moors, entrenched in the ruined University of Madrid, used the books from the university library as defenses in their rifle pits. The University of Prague has been shut by the German government. The University of Strasbourg has been torn from its site and planted in Clermont-Ferrand. For reasons of economy and because their students are in military service, more than half the universities of Germany are closed. The institutions comprising the University of London have been uprooted and scattered over a wide area in southern England. The 20,000 student population of the University of Paris has shrunk to 5,000.

WAR IN EARNEST

From New Yorker

This story comes to us, suitably censored, direct from a member of the British Ministry of Information. Facing each other across the Maginot Line are a French village and a German village. The French village gets its electric current from the German village. Use of the present tense is intentional. At the outbreak of war, the current was shut off. The French 75s lobbed over a few shells and service was restored immediately. Several months later the Germans again essayed to go out of the public utility business; again they were shelved, and again they turned on the juice. Recently there was a third blackout in the French village. Before the French could get the field guns in action, however, a voice came bellowing through the loudspeaker, normally devoted to German propaganda: "The power

Their leaders include nobody of ability or repute, but are said to be backed by sundry wealthy young men who labor mostly at clipping coupons and inciting the Nazi party against the real laborers of Sweden, the organized movement which is powerful.

The only Swedes of consequence who have ever been called Nazis are generally considered to be really patriotic conservatives like the explorer Sven Medin and event Count Von Rosen, member of an old Swedish family to which the first wife of Hermann Goering belonged.

Such families, with German connections or education, once believed the Versailles Treaty had dealt harshly with Germany and justified her actions, but that feeling has almost completely disappeared.

NO SIGN OF ARMY TREACHERY

In the Swedish army there has been no evidence of such treachery as delivered some Norwegian defenses to the Nazis.

In the Swedish navy a very few officers, including an admiral or two, have been suspected of Nazi sympathies, but all of them are believed to have been known and checked in the past week.

In fact, they made no secret of their leanings, for until the invasion of Norway there was no restriction on political utterances in Sweden.

IN ALL COUNTRIES, whether combatant or noncombatant, the indiscriminating necessities of military mobilization have decimated faculties and student bodies alike. In many instances the ablest men on a faculty are being drafted for various types of war work. In other instances, on both sides of the fighting lines, laboratories hitherto devoted to the extension of knowledge, both in medicine and in the natural sciences, are being geared into the war machine. As a prominent governmental official on the continent recently said: "Science can now have but one object: to help win the war."

Perhaps the most frightening aspect of modern war is the intellectual blackout which it creates. One does not have to subscribe to H. G. Wells' grim prophecy that "mankind, which began in a cave and behind a windbreak, will end in the disease-soaked ruins of a slum;" but certainly the night in Europe cannot be long continued without the sacrifice of cultural values on so vast a scale that the chance of an enlightened and gracious life, not alone for this generation in Europe, but for the children and grandchildren of this generation, will be irretrievably lost.

plant has broken down. Please be patient for a few hours."

Better English

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "I saw her previous to my going."

2. What is the correct pronunciation of "intermezzo"?

3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Compare, impare, prepare.

4. What does the word "incapacitate" mean?

5. What is a word beginning with me that means "pertaining to servants"?

Answers

1. Say, "I saw her previously (adverb) to my going." 2. Pronounce in-ter-med-zo, second e as in medal, accent third syllable. 3. Impair. 4. To deprive of capacity; disable; disqualify. (Pronounce third syllable pass, accent third syllable). "Vice incapacitates a man for all public duty." 5. Menial.

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Cottage Rolls Tender, 1 lb. 27c	Picnics, smoked shoulders, 1 lb. 18c	Sliced Bacon Side, 1/2 lb. 12c
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Victoria Woman Is Head of League

Canadian Daughters Make Mrs. A. McInnes Provincial President

COURTENAY, B.C. (CP)—Mrs. A. McInnes, Assembly No. 5, of Victoria, was elected president for the forthcoming year of the British Columbia branch of the Canadian Daughters' League which wound up business sessions at the annual convention here.

Others elected to the executive included: First vice-presidents, Mrs. M. A. Johnston, Assembly No. 9, Vancouver, and Mrs. M. Moore, Assembly No. 6, Courtenay; recording secretary, Mrs. S. Steeves, Assembly No. 1, Vancouver; treasurer, Mrs. M. Brooks, Assembly No. 4, Vancouver; sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. R. E. Woodman, Assembly No. 8, Vancouver; sentinel, Mrs. F. Bridges, Assembly No. 14, Cranbrook, B.C.; historian, Mrs. V. Murchison, Assembly No. 33, Hazelton, B.C.; pianist, Mrs. E. A. Pettit, Assembly No. 16, Vancouver and press, Mrs. L. Hoskin, Assembly No. 1, Vancouver.

Delegates to the national convention in June at Vancouver are: Mrs. F. A. Johnston and Mrs. S. Steeves, both Vancouver, and Mrs. M. Moore of Courtenay, B.C.

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Members of the 1940 class of the Royal Jubilee Hospital, who received their diplomas and badges last night at the Royal Victoria Theatre. Each carries the sheaf of red and white carnations given annually to the graduating class by the Senior Women's Auxiliary.

Jubilee Class Graduates Social and Personal At Colorful Ceremony

Royal Victoria Theatre Filled as 1940 Class Receive Diplomas; History of Hospital Reviewed By President

With its interest intensified by the imminence of the golden jubilee of the hospital, and to the accompaniment of all the traditional color and ceremony associated with the time-honored function, the annual graduation exercises of the Royal Jubilee Hospital training school were held at the Royal Victoria Theatre last evening before a capacity audience.

Edwin Tomlin, president of the hospital board of directors, who presided, gave a resume of the history of the Royal Jubilee Hospital, which he recalled had been formally opened by the Duke of Connaught in 1890, after being started in 1887, the year of Queen Victoria's jubilee, which had given the hospital its name. After describing the various stages of its growth, he noted that additional accommodation was badly needed today to cater to the growing population, and spoke of the plans for the proposed new building and the campaign to be launched to raise the \$37,000 needed to supplement the funds in hand.

\$1,295,000 FREE SERVICE

He also reminded his audience that since 1925 the Jubilee Hospital had given service to the value of \$1,295,000 gratuitously to those who were unable to pay for hospitalization.

"The new building is a challenge to you and a trusteeship handed down to you from your parents and grandparents, who pioneered in establishing the first Royal Jubilee Hospital here," he stated.

Mr. Tomlin gratefully attested to the splendid help received by the hospital from the numerous women's auxiliaries and other organizations: the Senior and Junior W.A.s, the Daughters of Pity, the Jubilee Alumnae, the Victoria Graduate Nurses' Association, the Gonzales and Florence Nightingale Chapters, I.O.D.E., the Victoria and Esquimalt Women's Institutes, the Women's Canadian Club, the Rotary, Kiwanis, Klansmen and Gyro Clubs, the Victoria Medical Association and Victoria, Saanich, Oak Bay and Esquimalt municipalities.

The regent read a letter from one of the youths serving on a Canadian ship, thanking the chapter for their gifts of waffles and explaining the type of sweaters the young navy men prefer for their exposed type of work.

The city has again granted permission for this chapter to sell heather on August 26. Several members signified their intention of attending the annual luncheon on May 23, which will be held this year in Terry's private dining-room.

Miss Crease kindly offered her garden for the chapter to hold a garden party. The date set tentatively is June 12. Mrs. Bertha Parsons will act as general convener. After the close of the meeting Mrs. Swire Mitchell, Mrs. McAlpine and Mrs. Cotford served tea.

Archbishop Praises Work of Auxiliary

TORONTO (CP)—Archbishop Derwyn T. Owen yesterday commended the work of the Anglican Women's Auxiliary at the 54th annual meeting of the W.A. He expressed confidence in the courage and ability of the organization to meet the challenge of wartime. It was reported that of the 27 diocesan W.A.s had met allotments in the \$50,000 fund for western Canada.

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SCHOLARSHIPS AND PRIZES

Scholarships were presented as follows: The Robert S. and Patricia Day memorial scholarship, presented by Mr. W. S. Day to Miss Bertha Maher.

Scholarship of \$100 presented by Jubilee Hospital Alumnae for postgraduate work, presented by the alumnae president, Mrs. J. H. Russell, to Miss Helene McLoud.

Two scholarships of \$25 each were presented by S. J. Drake, on behalf of the hospital board, to Miss Ruth Umbrite, pupil in her junior year standing highest in her practical work, and to Miss Mary McMillan, pupil in her intermediate year standing highest in her practical work.

Elizabeth Esau was awarded the Graduate Nurses' Association bursary, presented by Mrs. Jean Bothwell, the association president.

Dr. Thomas Miller's prize for the highest marks in preventive medicine was presented to Gladys Berndt.

The impressive valedictory was delivered by Dorothy Chappell, who, at its conclusion, presented beautiful bouquets of red roses to Miss Mitchell and Miss Curry from the graduating class. The program concluded with the recital by the class in unison of the Florence Nightingale pledge.

The graduates then returned to the Nurses' Home of the Royal Jubilee Hospital where the board of directors and Women's Auxiliary held an informal reception in their honor.

Bride and Guests Wait, But No Bridegroom

LONDON—Miss Anne Chamberlain, 20-year-old cousin of the Prime Minister, held a wedding reception for 200 guests without her bridegroom after the ceremony had been called off at the last minute.

Lieut. Anthony Daniell, whom she was to have married at Rackenford, North Devon, had been granted in advance five days' special leave for the ceremony.

The bride, in her wedding dress, was waiting at her home, Rackenford Manor. The village church had been beautifully decorated. Many of the guests had already been shown to their seats.

Still nothing had been heard of the bridegroom all day. Finally Miss Chamberlain put through an anxious telephone call to a high official at the Admiralty.

Naval duties, she learned, were keeping her fiancé's ship at sea. The guests were told the news and asked to come straight up to the house, where the bride still-to-be received them alone.

Miss Chamberlain's father is Mr. Arthur Chamberlain, the Prime Minister's first cousin. She, therefore, is the Premier's first cousin once removed.

The monthly meeting of the Esquimalt Subdivision, Catholic Women's League, will be held on Tuesday next at 2, and the membership tea on Wednesday, May 8, in the Queen of Peace Hall at 3.

Mr. Wardlaw Stewart of Big Missouri Mine, Stewart, B.C., has come south for a month's vacation.

Mrs. Wilson Goode of Vancouver is spending a few days in Victoria as a guest at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. F. Jeffrey of Maple Bay, who has been spending a few days in Victoria with her sister, Miss A. J. Fawcett, Menzies Street, has returned to her home up the island.

Mrs. Ivor Henderson, who has been visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. G. A. Henderson, Grafton Street, since returning from Vancouver, will leave at the week-end for England, to join her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Hall and their two children have returned to their home, Diamond B Ranch, Telegraph Creek, B.C., after spending the last three months in Victoria.

Miss Marian Alexander, Queen's Avenue, was hostess at the tea hour Wednesday at a party complementing Miss Muriel Harrison, a bride-to-be. The guest of honor was presented with a corsage bouquet of pink carnations. Mrs. J. Wilson presided at the prettily arranged tea table, for which pink and yellow tulips formed a gay centerpiece. The guests were Mesdames F. Wormald, W. S. Fraser, W. Spedding, J. Wilson, F. G. Hooper, and Misses Gladys Schroeder, May King, E. Dawson, Hazel McPhee, E. Williamson, O. Ashton and M. Marshall.

Miss Muriel Harrison, who is to be married to Mr. George Cliff on May 24, was the guest of honor when Mrs. F. G. Hooper and the Misses May King and Hazel McPhee for the girls of the housewares department of Hudson's Bay Company entertained at Mrs. Hooper's home on Wilson Street Wednesday evening. Bridge and rummy royal were played. Miss King and Miss Marian Alexander were the prize winners. Following supper, which was served at a table with a silver basket of narcissi and blue Spanish iris, the guest of honor was presented with several pieces of Wedgwood dinnerware in the Patricia pattern, with the best wishes of her associates. The guests were Mrs. P. Gamon, Mrs. A. Spedding, Misses E. Dawson, E. Williamson, Marian Alexander, M. Marshall and O. Ashton.

This morning at her home on Royal Terrace, Mrs. J. W. Rugles was hostess at a coffee party in compliment to Mrs. F. J. Walker of Winnipeg, who, with her daughter, Miss Frances Walker, is the guest of Mrs. A. F. D. McGachen, the Uplands.

A surprise birthday party was held Monday evening, in honor of Mrs. Alex. Stewart of Juno Street, at the home of her mother, Mrs. D. McLean, 439 Constance Avenue. The guest of honor was presented with a lovely corsage by her little daughter, Nancy, also beautiful gifts by her guests. The evening was spent in games and dancing, prize-winners being Mrs. B. Smith, Mrs. J. Hay, Mrs. J. Scott and Mrs. J. McColl. A buffet supper was served. The guests were: Mrs. A. Stewart, Mrs. D. McLean, Mrs. A. Stewart Sr., Mrs. J. McColl, Mrs. B. Smith, Mrs. E. McIllood, Mrs. W. Gagnon, Mrs. J. Hay, Mrs. W. Scott, Mrs. J. Steuart, Mrs. T. Dickie, Mrs. R. Moody, Miss S. Smith, Miss L. Smith and Miss Nancy Stewart.

The Newfoundland Club will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Tait, 2609 Belmont Avenue on Monday evening at 8.



Rev. Christopher W. Serle and his bride, the former Hope Sluggett, who were married at the Sluggett Memorial Chapel, Brentwood, on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Duncan of Winnipeg have left for their home in Manitoba after visiting in Victoria.

Mrs. John A. Logan, Beach Drive, who has been visiting in Seattle with her sister, Mrs. G. D. McKay, has returned home.

Mrs. Robert Hulme of Vancouver is spending a few days in Victoria as the guest of Senator and Mrs. G. H. Barnard, Rockland Avenue.

Mrs. Volney P. Mooney of Glendale, Calif., is expected on Sunday to visit her mother, Mrs. E. C. Stewart, "The Flat," Langford, and will also stay with friends in Oak Bay.

Mrs. A. Bolton, who spent six months with her sister, Mrs. A. Cooper of Millstream Road, Langford, before leaving for the east, has now left Montreal for her home in Yorkshire, England.

Mrs. F. B. York has returned from Vancouver, where she was the guest of Mrs. G. Phillips, Commercial Drive, and Mrs. Gordon Gilcrest, North Vancouver.

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Mrs. L. Houston Reusch Demonstrates Art Before Large Gathering

Unusual but lovely combinations of flowers and plants of humble origin, whose beauty is often overlooked by the unobservant, provided Mrs. L. Houston Reusch of Seattle with fascinating material for her talk and demonstration of the art of flower arrangement before a large group of Victoria hostesses and many out-of-town visitors here for Garden Week at the Empress Hotel ballroom last night.

Mrs. Reusch, who is an authority on her subject, having lectured to schools of flower arrangement as well as to many societies and clubs, pointed out that flower arrangement has now made its debut in the fine arts.

FOR VARIOUS ROOMS

Taking as her theme the arrangement of flowers in an average small house, Mrs. Reusch took her hearers step by step through the various rooms, demonstrating arrangements suitable for the entrance hall, living-room and bedrooms. Most important, she said, was individuality in design and arrangement. In arranging flowers it was necessary that the arrangement be pleasing to the person doing the work, irrespective of what other people might think. That was the secret of many a beautiful floral centerpiece.

Colors, she said, should be used in unequal proportion, a little of our color, more of a second and more still of a third. Many people had a tendency to use too many flowers, thereby spoiling the arrangement.

NOVEL COMBINATIONS

Mrs. Reusch showed many of her own arrangements—combinations of flowers, rocks and leaves—skunk cabbage, charred wood, husked corn and dry branches—dried grasses, coral ferns and lighted candles—all being unusual, daring and most effective. One of her loveliest arrangements was that of deep crimson tulips and beech leaves in a rose Bohemian glass bowl, and another graceful effect used Scotch pine in a pottery shell container.

W. H. Warren, president of the Victoria Horticultural Society, introduced Mrs. Reusch, who was thanked for her valuable talk by Mrs. Harold Lord, president of the Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club, who sincerely hoped Mrs. Reusch would return to Victoria next year.

Queen's Gift for British Prisoners

LONDON (CP)—The Queen has sent 79 articles, including socks, pyjamas, mittens, gloves and scarfs to the prisoners of war, wounded and missing department of the Red Cross and St. John war organization at St. James' Palace, to be used for British prisoners in Germany, it was announced tonight.

Mrs. F. D. Roosevelt Given High Honor

NEW YORK (AP)—Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt Wednesday was given the first annual award of the magazine, The Nation, for "distinguished service to the cause of American social progress."

In accepting the award, she said Americans "must keep democracy and must make it mean a reality for more people." The citation accompanying the award acclaimed her for "her helpful interest in the problems of young men and women, and for her quiet, intelligent and dogged defence of democratic principles."

The award was made at a dinner marking the 75th anniversary of the founding of the magazine.

O.B.Y.P.A.

Molly Kennedy took charge of the weekly meeting of the O.B.Y.P.A. held in the vestry. Rev. F. R. Dredge related a story of interest he had heard on the radio. Harold Benson, recently returned from studying at Olds' School of Agriculture, gave an interesting talk on "Life at O.S.A."

Next Tuesday is to be the final meeting of the season, and a banquet is being arranged for the following Saturday, May 11.

The Fairfield Women's Association met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. N. J. Crees, Moss Street. Mrs. C. A. Fields, president of the association, was in the chair. It was decided to hold a rummage sale on Saturday, May 11. Plans were also made to hold a garden party some time in June. After a general discussion of activities, tea was served by the hostess.

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Clubwomen's News

Women of the Moose Victoria Chapter No. 25, will hold a special meeting on Sunday at the K. of P. Hall at 7:30. There will be an initiation of candidates. Mr. Lawrence Grove of Cleveland, Ohio and Washington, D.C., grand governor of the fraternity, will be present, also Mrs. Elizabeth Deane, provincial regent, and Mrs. Alice Burton, provincial dean of the Academy of Friendship, who will be conferring the degree on several members. There will also be visitors from other parts of B.C., who will also be taking the degree. Preceding the meeting there will be a dinner honoring the guests at the Douglas Hotel at 6 p.m.

The members of the Victoria Venture Club met on Wednesday in the Scollard Building, Ruth Whitehead, president, and Janet Graham, vice-president, presented their report on the Northwest Regional Conference of Venture Clubs, of which the Victoria Club is an honorary member, held in Portland on April 20 and 21. The Victoria delegates were guests of the Portland Soroptimist Club at a banquet in the Hotel Benson on April 20 and guests of the Portland Venture Club at a "brunch" in the Town Club on April 21, where ideas were exchanged among Venturists from Portland, Seattle, Spokane and Tacoma. It was urged that the Venture Clubs be formed in all Soroptimist districts in the Northwest region. It was also announced that the International Conference of Venture Clubs will be held in Salt Lake City in June. Beatrice Ball was welcomed as a new member. The treasurer reported that the sale of candy and the tea held in April were financially successful. Vivienne Nock and Elsie Finlayson were appointed a committee to arrange a dinner to be held on June 20, at which members of the Victoria Soroptimist Club will be guests. Gwyn Spencer will be hostess to the club at her home on Cavenish Avenue on May 23. A theatre party will be held on Tuesday, May 7, when the members will attend the movie production, "Rebecca."

The Altar Society and Oak Bay subdivision of the Catholic Women's League will hold their monthly meeting and membership tea on Monday at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Gordon Evans, 2584 Estevan Avenue.

At a recent meeting of the directors and flower show committee of the Luxton and Happy Valley W.L., July 10 was set as the date for the flower show at Luxton Hall. The regular meeting of the Luxton and Happy Valley will be held at Luxton Hall on Tuesday next at 8.

A meeting of the W.A. to No. 1, R.C.O.C. Fortress Workshop, was held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. H. E. Goodman. During the afternoon Mrs. Goodman's resignation was received with much regret, and during tea, which was served after the business, a presentation was made to her. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. T. T. Robinson, 2476 Central Avenue, on Tuesday, May 21, at 3 p.m.

St. Paul's Ladies' Aid met in the church hall on Wednesday afternoon and had as guest speaker Mrs. M. Wilkinson, who took "Home Defence" as the subject for her address. Mrs. Wilkinson stated that the chief menaces of the home are disease, ignorance, burglary and war. These the government try to contend with by providing scientific laboratory work to study diseases and their cures; schools, churches, libraries, radio for instruction and enlightenment; policemen to prevent burglary; army, navy and air force to repress wars, "yet the government, supported by the vote of the people, provide one menace to the home which causes much unhappiness, poverty and disease, namely, alcoholic drink." The speaker advocated Scripture teaching in the home and the Sunday school, as well as Bible reading in the schools to arm them against the evil influences they may meet in later life.

Generous Gifts to Orphanage Shower

187 Pieces of Linen And \$65.30 Were Received Yesterday

Gifts of linen numbering 187 pieces and cash donations totaling \$65.30 were received with grateful appreciation at the B.C. Protestant Orphans' Home yesterday afternoon, on the occasion of the annual linen shower. A much-appreciated and novel gift was received when Miss E. M. Macrae presented the children with the beautiful spun sugar basket of sweets which she won as a prize at the decorated table display on Wednesday at the Empress Hotel.

The many guests were received by the president of the committee, Mrs. D. C. Hughes, and members of the committee and the staff showed the visitors over the home. Tea was served in the main dining-room, where the table was effectively arranged with silver bowls of white lilac and pink tulips. Mrs. Walter Luney and Mrs. R. T. Elliott poured tea, and assisting in serving were Mrs. J. W. King, Mrs. M. H. Coutts, Mrs. O. M. Brown, Mrs. Arthur Cox, Mrs. Butler and members of the Junior Auxiliary.

The linen was received by Mrs. W. H. Dinsmore, Mrs. E. M. Brown and Mrs. J. J. Simpson, while Mrs. F. C. Dillabough was in charge of the cash donations.

MUSICAL PROGRAM

A musical program, arranged by the Junior Auxiliary, headed by Miss Elsie Appleyard and Miss Desiree Davis, was much enjoyed during the afternoon, and the numbers presented by the children of the home brought forth rounds of applause. These included two folk songs by a quartette of little girls, Miss Noel Smith at the piano; a recitation, "The Best Flag," by Charles Ellington, and two group songs, "Spring Song" and "Joy of My Heart," with Miss Noel Smith as accompanist.

Miss Elaine Basanta's solos, Arditi's "Il Bacio" and Sander's "Break of Day," delighted the gathering. She was accompanied by Miss Ursula Hills, who also gave two pianoforte solos, "The Trout" (Schubert), arranged by Heller, and "Harp Etude" (Chopin).

Fifty bodies the size of the moon would be required to form one mass as large as the earth.

Race Big Factor in Maternal Deaths

Analysis Made of Nationalities in Canadian Mortality

OTTAWA (CP)—Racial origin must be considered a factor in studying maternal mortality rates, for some nationalities have proven less likely than others to die in childbirth, according to Statistics and Health Department experts. Latest figures for Canada show that the rate of mothers' deaths stands now at 4.2 for each 1,000 live births, a reduction from 4.9 in 1937. The improvement is ascribed to a public health campaign producing more frequent cases of good prenatal care, and to improved medical facilities and developed technique.

Maternal deaths are constantly under study and have been carefully compared with maternal death rates elsewhere in the world. As the vital statistics experts point out, however, Canada has particular problems in this regard.

The country is vast and the population widely scattered, with many beyond the reach of physicians and up-to-date hospitals. In addition, the peoples of Canada come from many different homelands and marriages between the different nationalities create physiological problems for the doctors.

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Experts studied maternal deaths in Manitoba over a five-year period on the basis of nationality, and found that incidence of death in childbirth of the individuals followed very closely the ratio of maternal mortality in the home country. Their Manitoba survey showed, for instance, that Canadian-Hollander mothers died in childbirth less frequently than any other racial strain with 2.2 for each 1,000 live births.

The Scandinavian countries were next, followed in order by Canadian mothers of Belgian, German, Ukrainian and French extraction. Next came English and Welsh at 4.6; Russian and Polish at 4.8 and 5.1 respectively. Irish at 5.4, Scotch at 6.4, Austrian at 6.6 and the Indians at 6.7.

Fidelis Group's Tea Attracted Many

The Fidelis group of the Women's Association of the Metropolitan United Church held an enjoyable tea on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. A. Lipsey, Burdick Avenue, the affair proving a great success.

The guests were received by Mrs. Lipsey, Mrs. A. E. Whitehouse, Mrs. F. H. Parsons and Mrs. R. Heater, president. The tea table was centred with a crystal bowl of sweet peas, wisteria and lily of the valley, with smaller bowls of pink rhododendron at either side, and ivory tapers in crystal candlesticks. Mrs. R. W. Mayhew, Miss Sara Spencer, Mrs. Hugh McLeod and Mrs. H. J. Pendray poured tea and coffee during the afternoon, and assisting in serving were Mrs. S. Phillips, in charge of the dining-room; Mrs. W. Burley, Mrs. Horace Carpenter, Mrs. T. R. Berry,

Mrs. Alan Heater, Mrs. W. Vey, Misses M. Williams, Jean Tinker, Patty Pearce, Mildred Williams, Mary Bland, Maureen Whitehouse, Barbara Lipsey and Betty Rensselaer.

Mrs. Crozier Smith was convener of the program, which included vocal solos by Mrs. Jack Townsend, accompanied by Mrs. C. Hole at the piano; Miss Ruth Bawtenheimer, with Mrs. W. B. Milburn as accompanist; Miss Evelyn Harper, who played piano solos, and Trace Roskelley, who recited. Mrs. Austin Curtis had charge of the silver collection, and Mrs. Crozier Smith expressed the group's thanks to the hostess and artists.



Mrs. Kay Banta Losey of Hollywood was informed that her husband, Capt. Robert M. Losey, had been killed by a German bomb at Dombas, Norway. An assistant U.S. military attaché at Stockholm, he was assisting the removal of American citizens from the war zone.

RUTH'S DAUGHTER WED
NEW YORK (AP)—Julia Ruth, 23, adopted daughter of George Herman (Babe) Ruth, was married yesterday to Richard Wells Flanders, son of Dr. and Mrs. Walter H. Flanders of Melrose, Mass.

Modern Etiquette

1. May sherry be served throughout an informal meal as the only wine?
 2. At dinner, may sherry be served from a decanter?
 3. Should wines be kept standing upright, or lying on their sides?
 4. What is the best type of wine to serve with hors d'oeuvres?
 5. Is it correct to serve white or red wine with fish?
- What would you do if—
You are serving cocktails before dinner and are not sure whether or not all of your guests drink—
(a) Have some kind of non-alcoholic drink to offer?
(b) Have only cocktails, but apologize if you notice that some of your guests do not take a cocktail?
1. Yes.
 2. Yes. Or from its bottle.
 3. On their sides, except Madeira.
 4. A light dry wine.
 5. White.
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Government Spends \$2,635,844 in Week

OTTAWA (CP)—Wartime contracts totaling \$2,635,844 were let during the week ended April 26 by the Department of Munitions and Supply, the Bureau of Public Information announces.

Largest contract was for \$267,000, let to the Eastern Contractors Limited of Saint John, N.B., for construction. Among the western contracts were, for naval stores, Wright's Canadian Ropes Ltd., Vancouver, \$10,424, and for shipbuilding, Grenfell Boats, Deepwater, B.C., \$7,706.

New Privy Councillor

OTTAWA (CP)—Hon. Pierre F. Casgrain, speaker of the House of Commons, became a member of the Canadian Privy Council when he was sworn in

yesterday by the administrator of government, Chief Justice Sir Lyman P. Duff.

Mr. Casgrain was appointed a Privy Councillor several months ago, and officials making the announcement of the swearing in emphasized it had no significance in relation to whether he would continue as speaker in the new House when Parliament meets May 16.

Sir Francis Drake Descendant Dies

TAMPA, Fla. (AP)—Capt. Francis Drake, 62, retired British army officer said to be a direct descendant of Sir Francis Drake, died in hospital here yesterday. Capt. Drake, a native of Devonshire, went to Canada in 1905 during a gold rush. In the first Great War he served with the British army in Mesopotamia and India. After the war he settled in Florida.

Major Swan Resigns

OTTAWA (CP)—Hon. C. D. Howe, Minister of Munitions and Supply, announced today the resignation of Major W. G. Swan of Vancouver as director of construction, effective May 31. His duties will be assumed by Dennis Stairs, chief engineer of the Montreal Engineering Company. Major Swan, who came to Ottawa at the outbreak of the war to join the Defence Purchasing Board which later gave way to the War Supply Board and finally became the Department of Munitions and Supply, asked permission to return to his consulting engineering practice at Vancouver.

The clock on the town hall of Amersham, Bucks, England, has been going for more than 300 years.

A flannel cloth dipped in oatmeal makes a good cleaner for painted woodwork.

Says William C. Hayes, in the Bulletin of the Metropolitan Museum of Art: "The Egyptian artist reached his peak, not when struggling with some huge, conventional project—a royal tomb, a great tomb, a colossal statue—but when turning out small and preferably frivolous objects, destined for no more serious end than to delight and amuse some pretty girl in the pharaoh's harem."

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Riel Veterans Hold Reunion

The spirit of Canada's fighting men is as strong for the principles of freedom and unity as it has ever been, in the opinion of D. R. Bremner, 75, who served as a private under Gen. Strange with the western force combatting the Louis Riel rebellion of 1885.

Mr. Bremner voiced that opinion as he and his fellow veterans met last night at the Douglas Hotel for their annual banquet as guests of Bishop George Exton Lloyd.

Incidents of the campaign were discussed by the veterans at the function.

"On May 12 Louis Riel surrendered, following the battles of Batoche, Cut Knife and Fish Creek," Mr. Bremner said. "But our job was not finished. We were required to pursue Big Bear, chief of the Indians of the sector, and his malevolent lieutenant,

Wandering Spirit, who had razed Fort Pitt, a Hudson's Bay stronghold.

"On May 27 and 28 we encountered the band, driving them afield until we finally forced them to disband in the Cold Lake-Loon Lake region. In the progress of our march we occupied the Indian camp at Frenchman's Butte. Within half a mile of that point, our troops rescued a white woman, Mrs. Gowatlock, who had fled her Indian captors in search of aid. She managed to reach our scouts and was housed in a temporary shelter, where her child was born almost immediately. The youngster survived, despite the hardships and the continual movement of the troops."

"Mr. Bremner was a member of the 91st Winnipeg Light Infantry, a force formed on the spot to fight Riel and his rebels.

"The battalion was sent from Calgary across the country to Edmonton, building ferries at Red Deer River and on the banks of the Saskatchewan at Edmonton for transport to Fort Pitt.

Sound travels faster in warm weather.

JOINT SERVICE OF ASCENSION

Anglican parishioners of the rural deanery of Victoria, which includes the city, Saanich Peninsula and Metchoshin districts, last night attended a united Anglican Ascension Day service at St. John's Church.

Led by the robed choir of St. John's, the congregational singing was a feature of the evening, the following hymns being sung: "Hail the Day That Sees Him Rise," "Jesus Shall Reign," "The Head That Once Was Crowned With Thorns" and "Come Ye Faithful." The service closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

Presiding over the service was Bishop H. E. Sexton, who pronounced the benediction. Clergy from the various parishes in the deanery were represented, those taking part in the service being, Rev. T. R. Lancaster, St. Andrew's, Sidney; Rev. Canon F. A. P. Chadwick, St. John's; Rev. N. E. Smith, St. Barnabas. Rev. F.

THESE WOMEN!

By d'Alessio



"Well, Cedric, I'm your new mother now, and I'm to sign your report card and everything!"

Pike, St. Luke's, preached the sermon.

NO BRITISH REST UNTIL NORWAY FREE

LONDON (CP)—Sir Kingsley Wood, Lord Privy Seal, pledged Great Britain not to rest until Norway, again was freed.

Speaking to the Primrose League, Conservative party political organization, Sir Kingsley said:

"I believe this country regards restoration of the freedom of the Norwegian people as vital to world peace and that we shall not rest until that has been achieved."

"It is perfectly true we are fighting to defend ourselves in a life and death struggle, but we are also waging war against an evil thing, a wicked force, which, if it could, would destroy humanity itself just as it has broken every international rule, sunk merchant ships without warning and sought not only to conquer but to exterminate."

Sir Henry Page Croft, Conservative member of Parliament, conveyed an indirect warning to Premier Mussolini in another address before the league.

"For every German capital ship, cruiser or destroyer," he said, "the Allies can dispatch two capital ships or cruisers to any other ocean, such as the Mediterranean or the Black Sea, where a possible ally might be persuaded to enter the conflict on Germany's side."

Asserting Norway had been betrayed, Sir Henry declared that "had she asked our protection before the event and also had fought, we could have held all her ports and even today no troops would have entered Oslo."

He estimated that the German death toll in Norwegian waters might reach 25,000.

Artillery Duels On Western Front

PARIS (AP)—Fighting on the western front was marked by "quite lively" artillery fire in the Vosges Mountain sector and occasional patrol and aerial activity, it was stated here today.

BERLIN (AP)—The German high command's communique today said: "No special events on the western front."

SECRET WARPLANE NAZIS' NEW THREAT

BUCHAREST, Rumania (CP).

Havas: Germany has come up with a new "secret weapon" threat. In the course of a dinner to German trade delegates here, Dr. Karl Clodius, Hitler's chief economic negotiator, sought to impress Rumanian officials with a description of a new aerial weapon of "terribly destructive effectiveness."

He said it was a recently developed airplane able to carry explosive charges big enough to destroy units of the Allied fleet at a single blast. He said its use would require the sacrifice of a number of men and machines and that many volunteers had already offered themselves.

Gasoline Bill Postponed in P.E.I.

CHARLOTTETOWN (CP)—Prince Edward Island Legislature was prorogued yesterday afternoon after Lieutenant-Governor B. W. LePage had given royal assent to 81 bills passed during the session, which opened March 28.

One of the last acts of the sitting was withdrawal by its sponsor, Premier Thane Campbell, of a bill which would authorize the fixing of wholesale and retail prices for all petroleum products and the licensing of all persons engaged in the business in the province.

Mr. Campbell said he did not think there had been time to consider merits of the bill. "I think further consideration is necessary at the next session of the House and I therefore move the bill be discharged," he said.

The petroleum bill was a duplicate of British Columbia legislation, as was the Agricultural Products Marketing Act.

One of the important bills approved provided for the control and regulation of transportation, packing, storage and marketing of agricultural products within the province.

HONGKONG (CP)—Chinese military dispatches today reported the Chinese troops had smashed the big Japanese offensive launched last month in the northern part of Hunan province, southern Hupeh and northern Kiangsi.

Victoria Man Grand Master

British Columbia grand lodges of the Loyal Orange Lodge and the Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association, meeting in annual convention at Trail yesterday, elected J. P. Dickson of Victoria right worshipful grand master.

Mrs. J. H. Fowler of Vancouver was elected right worshipful grand mistress of the L.O.B.A.

Other officers: O. W. Wakelin, Vancouver, deputy grand master; Rev. J. Scott, Chilliwack, junior grand master; W. C. Frank, New Westminster, grand chaplain; J. Grant, White Rock, grand secretary; Edwin Bush, Mission City, grand treasurer; S. Hunter, Vancouver, grand marshal; J. Martin, Rossland, grand lecturer; J. MacDonald, Princeton; W. H. McLean, Vancouver, and J. McMillan, Hammond, deputy grand auditors; Rev. H. Lennox, Vancouver; Rev. B. Owen, Victoria, and Rev. J. C. Goodfellow, Simikameen; deputy grand chaplains; E. Bush,

Mission City, representative to the most worshipful grand lodge, and Mrs. N. B. Coombs, Abbotsford, auditors.

Mrs. L. E. Giddens, Vancouver, immediate past grand mistress; Mrs. I. McLeary, Cranbrook, deputy grand mistress; Mrs. S. Rowe, Revelstoke, junior deputy grand mistress; Mrs. W. Gibbins, Matsqui, grand chaplain; Mrs. M. Rowe, Kamloops, grand secretary; Mrs. M. Patterson, Victoria, deputy grand secretary.

Mrs. L. Starrack, Port Coquitlam, grand treasurer; Mrs. L. Cooper, North Vancouver, deputy grand treasurer; Mrs. Burt, Nanaimo, juvenile grand director; Mrs. A. Doughty, Trail, grand lecturer; Mrs. E. Jennings, Duncan, deputy grand lecturer; Mrs. M. S. Harrow, Vancouver, director of ceremonies; Mrs. L. E. Giddens, Mrs. B. Macdougall, Mrs. M. Gordon and Mrs. M. Drenner, Vancouver, home board; Mrs. A. L. Middleton, Vancouver, and Mrs. N. B. Coombs, Abbotsford, auditors.

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Warner's suspended Priscilla Lane today because she refused to take the starring role in "Money and the Woman." Miss Lane said she

Bishop G. C. Murray Speaker in New York

NEW YORK—Rev. Gerald C. Murray, Bishop of Saskatoon, former Roman Catholic bishop of Victoria, B.C., preached to a congregation of 3,000 persons, including 1,000 children at a service last week at the Church of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, as part of the four-day celebration of the canonization of St. Alphonsus Liguori, founder of the Redemptorist Order, of which he is a member.

Sketching the life of St. Alphonsus as a boy and as a young man, Bishop Murray said the saint's two outstanding characteristics was his reverence and his obedience.

"I think if he reached you here today he would talk on prayer," Bishop Murray said. "I think he would give you his little book of prayer. I think he would tell you that the most important thing in his life that you could imitate was his habit of prayer."

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Radio Programs

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Tonight

5
Walls Time—KOMO, KPO.
A. Pearce's—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Dancing Dicks—KJR.
Ranger's Cabin—CJOR.
Cagney's Orchestra—KOL at 5:15.

5:30
What's My Name—KOMO, KPO.
Name It and Take It—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
First Night—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Along the Boulevard—KJR.
Adventure—KOL at 5:45.

6
Don Ameche Show—KOMO, KPO.
Buddy Bear vs. Nana Martin—KJR, KGO.
Grand Central Station—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Hammer Music—KJR.
Raymond Gram Swing—KOL.
Sports News—CJOR at 6:15.

6:30
Story Behind the Headlines—KOMO.
Believe It or Not—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Wainwright Abbey—KJR.
New—KOL.
Victoria Garden Festival—KJR at 6:45.
Norman Berkenshire—KOL at 6:45.
Easy Aces—CJOR at 6:45.

7
Fred Waring—KOMO, KPO.
Barnett's Orchestra—KJR, KGO.
Anno's—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
New—CJOR.
Paging the Post—KOL.
You're for Success—KPO at 7:15.
Lanny Ross—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 7:15.
Two-Plane Team—KJR at 7:15.
Light Up—CJOR at 7:15.

7:30
Home Town—KOMO, KPO.
This Amazing America—KJR, KGO.
Johnny Presents—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Woodhouse and Hawkins—KJR.
Lanny Ross—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Judy Richards—CJOR.
Carson Robinson—CJOR at 7:45.

8
Varieties—KPO.
New—KGO, CJOR.
Kate Smith—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Diana—KJR.
Orchestra—KOMO at 8:15.
San Francisco vs. Oakland—KGO at 8:15.
Health League—CJOR at 8:15.

8:30
Death Valley Days—KOMO, KPO.
Hawaitian—CJOR.
Beauty Explodes—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 8:45.

9
Eugene's Orchestra—KOMO.
Seattle vs. Portland—KJR.
New—KIRO, KNX, KVI, KOL.
Musical Mirror—KJR.
University Explorer—KPO at 9:15.
Punk's Orchestra—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 9:30.
Pearl's Orchestra—KOL at 9:15.

9:30
Notes on Travel—KJR.
Fulton Lewis—KOL.
Charles Hovey—CJOR.
New—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 9:45.
Press News—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 9:50.
Joint Meeting—KJR at 9:45.
American Legion Picnic—KOL at 9:45.

10
New—KOMO, KPO, KVI.
De Baux's Orchestra—CJOR.
New—KIRO, CBR at 10:15.
Giulini's Orchestra—KXN at 10:15.

10:30
Fields' Orchestra—KOMO, KPO.
Malneck's Orchestra—KGO, CBR.
Pastor's Orchestra—KJR.
Osborne's Orchestra—KVI.
New—CJOR.
Young's Orchestra—KOL at 10:45.
Melody—CJOR at 10:45.

11
Nottingham's Orchestra—KOMO, KPO.
New—KGO, KNX.
Noble's Orchestra—KIRO, KVI.
Pastor's Orchestra—KOL.
Bill Sabransky—KJR at 11:20.

11:30
Loveland's Orchestra—KOMO, KPO.
Stander's Orchestra—KIRO, KVI.
Ravitch—KJR.
Playboys—KOL.

Tomorrow
7:30
New—KJR, KNX, KVI.
Minutes—KJR.
News—KPO at 7:45.
Devotions—KJR at 7:45.

8
Education Forum—KJR, KGO.
Harvey Harding—KIRO.
New—CJOR.
This Wonderful World—KOL.
Jesse Crawford—KJR, KGO at 8:25.
Country Journal—KIRO, KNX, KVI, KOL.
Band Parade—KJR at 8:15.
Music in Mellow Mood—KOL at 8:15.

8:30
Call to Youth—KOMO, KPO.
Farm and Home Hour—KJR, KGO.
Let's Pretend—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Children's Hour—KJR.
Virginia Spencer—KOL.
Pleasant and Miles—KOMO at 8:45.
Children's Storybook—KOL at 8:45.

9
Lincoln Highway—KOMO, KPO.
KGO's Quilt—KJR.
Under the Big Top—KJR.
Shut-In—KOL.
Book Quizzes—CJOR at 9:15.
Geopel Clinic—CJOR at 9:15.

9:30
Matinee in Rhythm—KOMO, KPO.
Luncheon at the Waldorf—KJR, KGO.
Time to Talk—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Orchestra—KJR.
University Life—KOL.

10
I Am an American—KOMO, KPO.
Melville's Orchestra—KJR, KGO, CBR.
Elmer's Melodians—KIRO, KNX.
Overlin on the Air—KOL.

10:30
Symphony—KOMO.
People's Luncheon—KJR, KGO.
Brush Creek Folies—KIRO.
Music Styled For You—CJOR.
Pa Rito's Orchestra—KOL at 10:45.
News—CJOR at 10:45.

11
Golden Melodians—KOMO, KPO.
New—KGO.
Chamber Orchestra—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Garrison Theatre—KJR.
McFarland Twins—KOL.
On the Air—KGO at 11:05.
Major, Minor and Marion—KJR, KGO at 11:15.

11:30
Brisette's Orchestra—KOMO, KPO.
New—KIRO, KVI.
Carolina Playmakers—KOL.
Vera Brodsky—KIRO, KVI at 11:35.

12
Campus Capers—KOMO, KPO.
Club Matinee—KGO, CBR.
Bill Session—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
News—KJR, KOL.
Back Rogers—KOL at 12:15.

12:30
A Boy, a Girl, and a Band—KOMO, KPO.
Composers and Writers Society—KIRO.
KJR.
New—CJOR.
Pacific Coast Defences—KJR at 12:45.

Headliners Tonight

5:00—Al Pearce—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
5:30—First Nighter—KOMO, KNX, KVI.
6:00—Don Ameche—KOMO, KPO.

6:00—Baer vs. Mann—KJR, KGO.
6:30—Believe It or Not—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
6:45—Victoria Gardens—KJR.

7:00—Fred Waring—KOMO, KPO.
7:30—Amazing America—KJR, KGO.

7:30—Johnny Presents—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
8:00—Kate Smith—KIRO, KNX, KVI.

8:15—San Francisco vs. Oakland—KGO.
8:30—Death Valley—KOMO, KPO.

9:00—Seattle vs. Portland—KJR.
News
6:30—KOL—KJR, CJOR.
6:00—KGO, CJOR: 9:00—KIRO, KNX, KVI, KOL; 9:45—KIRO, KNX, KVI; 9:55—KIRO, KNX, KVI; 10:00—KOMO, KPO, KVI; 10:15—KIRO, CBR; 10:30—CJOR; 11:00—KGO, KNX.

Network Stations
KOMO (920), KPO (680), KFI (640)—National Red.
KJR (970), KGO (790)—National Blue.
KIRO (710), KNX (1050), KVI (560)—Columbia.
KOL (1270)—Mutual.
CBR (1100)—Canadian.
CJOR (600)—Independent.

1
Herman's Orchestra—KOMO, KPO.
Human Adventure—KIRO, KVI.
Duchin's Orchestra—KVI.
News—KJR.
McFarland Twins—KOL.
Steak's Orchestra—KGO, CBR at 1:15.
Kentucky Derby Preview—KXN at 1:15.

1:30
Yacht Club Parade—KOMO, KPO.
Rhythms by Ricardo—KGO.
New—KIRO, KVI.
Pros and Cons—KJR.
Kuhn's Orchestra—KIRO, KVI, KOL.
Duchin's Orchestra—KIRO, KVI, KOL.
BBC News—KJR at 1:45.

2
Spanish Revue—KOMO, KPO.
Golly's Orchestra—KJR, KGO.
Recital Series—KJR.
Mamie's Orchestra—KOL.
News—KOMO, KPO, KGO at 2:35.
Albert Wagner—KIRO, KNX, KVI, KOL.
Nan Wynn—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 2:15.
Orchestra—KJR at 2:15.
Duffy's Orchestra—KOL at 2:15.

2:30
Religion in the News—KOMO, KPO.
Retirees of the Mounted—KJR, KGO.
Kentucky Derby—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Children's Hour—KJR.
Symfonietta—KOL.
Hein-Maria Brisset—KOMO, KPO, CBR at 2:45.
Sargaster Comments—KOL at 2:45.
San Francisco—KGO at 2:45.

3
Message of Israel—KJR.
People's Platform—KXN, KVI.
Manhattan—KOL.

3:30
Reichman's Orchestra—KJR.
Noble's Orchestra—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Recital Series—KJR.
Gould's Orchestra—KOL.
H. V. Kullback—KOMO at 3:45.
Let's Listen—KPO at 3:45.
United States Today—KJR at 3:45.

4
Landmarks of Radio Drama—KOMO, KPO.
Gray's Orchestra—KJR.
Sports Broadside—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Surre the Wealth—KJR.
Dramas of Youth—KOL.

4:30
Fields' Orchestra—KOMO, KPO.
Radio Guild—KJR.
King's Orchestra—CJR.
New—KOL.
Draper's Orchestra—KPO at 4:45.
Winey Davis—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 4:55.
Clary Settel—KJR at 4:45.

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5:00—Monitor: 6:45—Pentecostal
5:10—Prole: 7:00—Joy Bus
5:30—Birthdays: 7:30—Ballroom
6:30—News: 8:00—Candlelight

TOMORROW
7:00—Yawn Patrol: 11:00—Tunes
8:00—News: 11:30—Musicprize
9:15—Signals: 12:30—Concert
9:30—Chronometer: 12:30—New
9:40—Classics: 12:35—Book Man
9:50—Futurists: 1:00—Prole
9:55—Prayers: 2:00—Concert
10:00—Monitor: 2:00—New
10:10—Melody Lane: 3:30—Rhythm Rulers
10:30—Features: 4:00—Friendly Hour.

Bishop of Chicago Dies
CHICAGO (AP)—Rt. Rev. George Craig Stewart, 60, Episcopal Bishop of Chicago and one of the outstanding clergymen of the United States, died last night after collapsing in his automobile.

He was taken to a hospital, where a fire department rescue squad worked over him in a vain effort to revive him.

He had been Bishop of Chicago since November, 1930, and previous to that had been bishop coadjutor of the Chicago diocese and pastor of the suburban Evanston parish, one of the largest in the United States.

During the first Great War he served as chaplain of evacuation hospital No. 6, American Expeditionary Forces in France.

Cheakamus Power
NEW WESTMINSTER (CP)—A \$6,000,000 publicly-owned hydroelectric power scheme, harnessing the waters of Cheakamus River, north of Squamish, B.C., in the Howe Sound region, will be investigated by a special committee of the Fraser Valley Reeves' Association.

Decision was made at a meeting after the project was outlined by W. Meehan of Vancouver, who said he was interested in the establishment of a pulp mill in the area if cheap power could be obtained.

Young U.S. Negress Wins B.C. Honors
VANCOUVER (CP)—Spokane, Wash., was again in the limelight at the evening sessions of the 18th annual B.C. Musical Festival here last night when Eleanor Barrow, clever colored girl, competing in the finals of class 57, mezzo-soprano A class, took first place with a marking of 250.

Miss Barrow sang the test piece as required, following it with a negro spiritual, with all the pathos of her own race, and playing her own accompaniment.

Adjudicating this performance at the close, John Goss, distinguished British baritone, said: "She has a real sense of performance." Miss Barrow will compete for the championship May 11.

Second and third places were won by Dora B. Chapman and Betty Roberts, Vancouver, with marks of 249 and 245 aggregate for two songs.

In the light soprano contest, A class 53, Marygold Nash, North Vancouver, came first with a marking of 171; Mary Koper of Spokane came second with 169, and Betty Roberts Smith, Burnaby, third with 166.

Ensemble competition winners were the King Edward Junior ensemble, the King Edward High School ensemble, and the Lyric Choir ensemble, with aggregate markings of 161, 160 and 157. First place should have been achieved, if the marking of 164 had been secured.

The Dunscombe Choir of Nanaimo entered, but did not compete.

In class 95 finals, piano solo for students under 13 years, winners were Ruth MacFavish, Jean Guy and Alasdair Murray, all of Vancouver, with grand aggregate markings of 330, 327 and 321, respectively.

PETER PROJECT BIDS ARE CALLED
An early start on the apartment-bungalow project planned by Sir Ernest Petter of Comox on the triangular property bounded by Fairfield Road, Lillian Road and Beechwood Avenue, was indicated today with bids for the work returnable up to noon tomorrow at the office of Architect Hubert Savage, Scollard Building.

Of novel design, the structure will include two stores, facing on Lillian Road, and 10 suites, equipped with separate hot-water heating units and the latest furnishings. Garage facilities for each suite will be located at the rear of the building, which will measure 200 feet by 200 feet. Of frame and stucco construction, it will incorporate fireproof material.

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Under present plans the contract will be awarded without delay and construction will proceed immediately.

A carpenter bee, when boring through wood, detours around nails before it actually reaches them.

Inners in a team were Evelyn Seyforth, Mary Koper, and Maude McCannan, 83 marks.

Max Finkelstein Ends Life in New York
NEW YORK (AP)—Police Captain Max Finkelstein, 56, the Jewish police officer whom Mayor LaGuardia assigned in 1938 to guard the German consulate, was found dead in his Brooklyn home today, a gunshot wound in his right temple.

Finkelstein recently applied for retirement. The application was approved yesterday by Police Commissioner Lewis J. Valentine and then suddenly revoked.

Sheldon Seckler, a neighbor, heard the shot and ran into the Finkelstein apartment. Mrs. Finkelstein was bending over her husband, screaming: "Oh, he was too honest!"

Valentine countermanded his order relieving Finkelstein of command of the 94th precinct, Brooklyn, pending retirement, it was learned, after he had received word from John Harlan Amen, special assistant attorney-general, that evidence involving the officer in the Brooklyn ball bond investigation was being transmitted to the commissioner.

There were no charges against Finkelstein and he had an excellent record in the department.

Canadian Soldiers 'Roll the Barrel'
ALDERSHOT (CP)—For rolling out the barrel, two members of the Canadian First Division were fined \$5 in the Aldershot police court yesterday.

A policeman said that at midnight he saw the men rolling an 18-gallon cask of beer along a highway. "They said they had found the barrel down the road and were rolling it back to the barracks."

The magistrate said the barrel had been stolen from the British Legion Club and rebuked the men for abusing the club's hospitality.

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A real Anniversary Sale of Catalin Trim Aluminumware in red or green colors. Included are Double Boilers, Teakettles, Vegetable Pots, Covered Saucepans, Percolators, Nonscald Teakettles, A sure winner at this low Saturday price. Each 98c

—Housewares, Third Floor at THE BAY

Attention! Thrifty Home Makers! HOUSEHOLD STAPLES
Greatly Underpriced for Saturday

UNBLEACHED SHEETS
Sturdy quality that stands up to much hard wear. An ideal sheet for summer use. Size 70x90 inches. Sale price, each 1.19

GREENBOND SHEETS
Closely-woven, fully-bleached sheets in an excellent wearing quality. Made extra long for a good tuck-in. Size 81x99 inches. Sale price, pair 2.58

WABASSO PILLOW CASES
Stock up at this saving. Fine snow white Pillow Cases, 42 inches wide and hemstitched. Sale price, each 28c. A half dozen will cost 1.68

KRINKLETTE SPREADS
Ideal for summer use! Fast colors in rose, blue, green. Washable krinklette stripes. Size 80x105 inches. Sale price, each 99c

WOOL-FILLED COMFORTERS
Well-filled with fine new-tarred pure wool to give light but cozy warmth and comfort. Attractive English print covers. Sale price, each 3.29

TAFETTA SPREADS
Beautifully taffeta with gracefully shirred sides. A wide assortment of lovely shades. Size 72x100 and 80x100. Sale price, each 3.49

WABASSO SHEETING
Make your own sheets at a substantial saving . . . firm, closely-woven Wabasso sheeting that will give years of service. 72 inches wide. Sale price, yard 53c. 81 inches wide, Sale price, yard 58c

NOVELTY STRIPED TOWELS
Absorbent Towels in gay novelty fast-color stripes. A sturdy texture that will wear well. Sale price, each 23c

LUNCHEON CLOTHS
Gay summery cloths for home or picnic. Natural ground and red, blue, green and gold overchecks. Size 50x50 inches. Sale price, each 88c

CANNON BATH MATS
A limited quantity of rich, thick Turkish Mats in discontinued designs. Regular 2.49. Sale price, each 1.29

—Staples, Street Floor at THE BAY



Choose These for Mother's Day Gifts! They're Ideal!

Mothers will appreciate one or several of these lovely pieces on Mother's Day! Shop early and choose pieces she'll be sure to like!

Sale of Better ICE BOXES
A special price for the anniversary sale! Air-conditioned box that is very satisfactory for the average home. Holds 50 pounds ice. Plenty of space to store fruits, vegetables, milk, etc. Sale price, each 15.95 With 200 lbs. Ice Free

SCREEN DOORS
Ideal for front and back door. Well finished. Frame of selected kiln-dried pine . . . mortised and tenoned joints . . . beaded mouldings. Sizes 2.5x6.6, 2.8x8.8, 2.10x8.10 and 3.0x7.0. Sale price, each 2.19

—Housewares, Third Floor at THE BAY

THE BAY SHOP AND SAVE SATURDAY LAST DAY OF "THE BAY'S" STORE-WIDE Anniversary Sale

Thousands of Dollars' Worth of Merchandise Advertised

Earlier in the sale, with exception of the 9 a.m. specials, continue on sale for Saturday unless quantities are sold out! We list here just a few of the many outstanding bargains!

Saturday is Children's Day

in the Anniversary Sale. . . Stock Up on Shoes, Clothing and Other Needs at Bargain Prices!

GIRLS' SUMMER SLACKS

Children's Cotton UNDIES

Panties and Vests woven from fine cotton. Sizes 2 to 14. Sale price, each. **25c**

Children's Cotton Crepe Pyjamas

Two-piece styles in pink, blue, maize and white. Sizes 2 to 6. Sale price, suit. **78c**
 Sizes 8 to 14X. Sale price, suit. **88c**

You'll want several pairs for summer! Buy now and save! Good quality Hop-sacking slacks in shades of rust, green, blue and maroon. Zipper fastenings. Sizes 7 to 14X. Sale price, pair. **1.48**

GIRLS' COTTON DRILL SLACKS
 Good quality drill in navy, white and royal. Button or zipper fastenings. Sizes 7 to 14X. Sale price, pair. **88c**

Misses' All-wool BATHING SUITS
 Smartly-styled Bathing Suits that wear and look well. The newest shades. Sizes 8 to 14X. Sale price, each. **1.69**



MISSSES' COATS

Sizes 8 to 14X Years
 Well tailored from all-wool English tweeds in princess or belted models. The newest colors, in sizes 8 to 14X. Sateen lined. **SALE PRICE 6.80**

Wee Tots' SWIM SUITS

All-wool Suits in pretty styles and the newest shades. Sizes 2 to 6. Sale price, each. **89c**

SPORT SHIRTS

Good quality polo shirts for sport. Maize, green and white. Sizes 8 to 14X. Sale price, each. **58c**

GIRLS' PURE WOOL PULLOVERS

A good selection of colors in an attractive style with round neck and long sleeves. Sizes 2 to 14X. Sale price, each. **92c**

BOYS' AND GIRLS' COVERALLS

Made from good quality corduroy in bib and suspender strap styles. Brown, red, air force blue and navy. Sizes 2 to 8 years. Sale price, each. **1.29**

BABY GOWNS

Made from fine quality flannelette. Open-back style. White only with pink and blue trim. Sale price, each. **28c**

SALE SAVINGS FROM OUR "BOYS' SHOP"

Students' LONG TROUSERS

Regular 2.98 all-wool tweed Trousers that will give excellent wear for school. Shades of grey, brown, green and blue. Belt loops and cuff bottoms. 24 to 32. Sale price, pair. **2.59**



BOYS' SHIRTS

Color-fast broadcloth in a wide variety of patterns and colors. Roomy-fitting shirts in collar-attached style. Sizes 12 1/2 to 14 1/2. Sale price, each. **59c**

Boys' Vests and Shorts
 Made from strong cotton yarns in athletic style. Shorts have elastic waistband. 26 to 34. Sale price, each. **23c**

BOYS' ANKLE SOCKS
 Strong wearing cotton yarns, well reinforced at heels and toes. Elastic tops in smart stripes. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2. Sale price, pair. **19c**



Bargains in CHILDREN'S FOOTWEAR

Children's Summer SANDALS

Quality Sandals at worthwhile sale prices! Neat and light on the feet. . . and good wearing. Smoked elk, brown or white. Leather insoles and hard rubber outsoles. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2. Pair. **1.19**



Children's WHITE SHOES

Fine-fitting shoes in white elk. Oxford and two-strap style. Nature lasts. . . oak bend leather soles. Sizes 5 to 8. Sale price, pair. **2.49**

Men's and Boys' CAMPER SHOES
 Really exceptional value! Brown elk uppers—leather insoles and hard rubber outsoles. Boys' sizes 11 to 13 1/2. Sale price, pair. **1.29**

GROWING GIRLS' OXFORDS

Extra value in Black, Brown or White Oxfords. You'll enjoy the smart appearance and long wear. Stitched bend leather soles and military heels. Good size range. Sale price, pair. **1.99**

—Children's Shoes, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

Men's and Boys' CAMPER SHOES

Really exceptional value! Brown elk uppers—leather insoles and hard rubber outsoles. Boys' sizes 11 to 13 1/2. Sale price, pair. **1.29**

—Men's and Boys' Shoes, Street Floor at THE BAY

LAST DAY OF OUR SALE of "LADY HUDSON" HOSIERY

These pure silk Hosiery are famous for their beauty, perfect fit, high quality and expert workmanship. They are smartness combined with durability. Desirable shades in sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2.

Regular 4-thread Chiffon **89c**
 6-thread Semi-service **79c**
 Sale price, pair. **79c**
 Regular 2-thread Sheer Chiffon **1.15**
 Full Crepe **98c**
 Sale price, pair. **98c**
 Regular 5-thread Service **1.25**
 10-thread Service **1.10**
 Sale price, pair. **1.10**



"The Bay's" TELEPHONE AND DELIVERY SERVICES . . .

Bring the thousands of well-selected items of seasonable merchandise now displayed in wide varieties at "The Bay" right into your home for your shopping convenience! Just phone E-7111, and from the comfort of your home, order, knowing that highly-trained salespeople will shop for you with personal care and thoroughness, and that our delivery trucks will deliver your order to your door!

Women's and Misses' Newest Sale! COATS and SUITS

Unusually Smart Garments, Sale Priced for This Event! Outstanding Bargains!

FINAL CLEARANCE! STRAW OR FELT HATS

For Present and Summer Wear! A grand variety and all greatly reduced for Last Day Clearance. Models for sports or dressy wear. All new spring shades, including navy and black. Sizes 21 to 23. Sale price, each. **1.00**



Last day to see this item. It's of outstanding interest to value-wise women who appreciate quality and fine styling! This special price is for the Anniversary Sale! Take advantage of it!

The SUITS

Cleverly-styled in current Dressmaker modes. . . assorted spring shades, including navy and black. Dependable fabrics that will wear well and hold their shape. Sizes 12 to 20.

The COATS

Mostly dressy styles in crepes and tweeds. Loose or fitted models in a variety of accepted modes that will go far toward making your ensemble a grand success. Sizes 14 to 24.

11.77 SUIT OR COAT

—Women's Ready-to-wear, Fashion Floor at THE BAY



WOMEN'S Reg. 5.00 SHOES

There's still many exceptionally good shoes in this group. . . all good spring patterns taken from fast-selling lines where sizes have become broken. Good choice of patterns and sizes collectively. Sale price, pair. **3.89**



WOMEN'S WHITE SUMMER SHOES

This group includes Dr. Oetli's Arch-support shoes as well as many dressy patterns. This sale offer means smartness and comfort combined with economy. Pair. **2.98**

—Women's Shoes, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

MEN'S SUITS

Tailored From Fine Worsted and Wool Tweeds

SALE PRICE

16.95



These fabrics are in the very latest patterns and colors and the selection is excellent. Blues and greens with fine stripes. . . all-wool tweeds in fancy patterns. Harmony trimmed with a strong-wearing Celanese. Single-breasted, plain back, fancy back or double-breasted drape style.

Men's Sport COATS

Regular 11.95 and 12.95. A large selection of patterns and shades. Your last chance Saturday to be one of these at these excellent savings. Smartly styled. Sale price, each. **10.00**

MEN'S TROUSERS

All-wool tweeds of heavy weight. . . greens, blues, greys, fawns. Full cut and good fitting, with pleats and cuff bottoms. 30 to 36 waist; leg lengths to 34. Sale price, pair. **2.95**

Men's Work Trousers

Heavy cottonized Trousers in dark grey; 5 pockets, belt loops and cuff bottoms. Cut like regular Trousers. Sale price, pair. **1.59**

9 A.M. SPECIALS!

43 ONLY—MEN'S FINE SHIRTS
 Regular 2.50, 3.00, 3.50 and 4.00. White, with collar attached, in sizes 14, 14 1/2, and 15. Neat patterns with 2 separate collars. Sizes 14 1/2 to 17 (except 15 1/2). Sale price. **2.29**

MEN'S BROADCLOTH SHIRTS
 Regular 1.35. 36-only. Fusel collar attached, in neat patterns. White and blue, with 2 separate collars. Sizes 14 1/2 to 17. Sale price. **1.09**

240 PAIRS MEN'S SOCKS
 Regular 25c a pair and 3 for 1.00! Strong-wearing cotton yarns, reinforced at heels and toes. Sizes 10 to 11 1/2. Sale price, pair. **19c**

80 ONLY—MEN'S TIES
 Full-length Ties in a wide assortment of smart patterns and shades. Regular 25c. Sale price, each. **19c**

MEN'S BROADCLOTH PYJAMAS
 Regular 1.39! Firmly woven, and cut in large-fitting sizes. Fast colors. Lapel collars. Sizes 36 to 46. Sale price, suit. **1.09**

180 PAIRS MEN'S SOCKS
 Firsts and seconds—regular 75c. All-wool and wool mixtures in smart patterns and shades. Reinforced at heels and toes. Sizes 10 to 11 1/2. Sale price, pair. **49c**

240 PAIRS MEN'S SOCKS
 Firsts and seconds—regular 1.00. English and Canadian 80K-add-wool and Wool Socks, in smart patterns and conservative colors. Finely knit and reinforced. Sizes 10 to 11 1/2. Sale price, pair. **69c**

YOUNG MEN'S KNITTED SHORTS
 Fine quality cotton yarns—finished with elastic waist-band. Sizes 30 and 32 only. Sale price, each. **29c**

MEN'S ENGLISH BROADCLOTH SHIRTS

Regular 2.50
 Made in Canada from finely-woven material in smart stripes. With launder well. Fusel collar attached. Full-fitting sizes—assorted sleeve lengths. Sizes 14 to 17. Sale price, each. **1.79**

MEN'S SHIRTS

For Dress or Work—Regular 1.00

Dress Shirts in white or neat patterns. Work Shirts in chambray, covert cloth, strongly worn and all fast colored. 14 to 17. Sale price, each. **89c**

—Men's Furnishings, Street Floor at THE BAY



EXTRA! WALNUT BEDROOM SUITE 59.50

As Low as 5.95 Cash—Balance Conveniently Arranged

Here's value for the thrifty homemaker! Four attractive pieces including a full-size bed, vanity with plate-glass mirror, upholstered bench and four-drawer chiffonier. All pieces in a combination of black and Oriental walnut. Only 6 Suits at this low sale price!

—Furniture, Fourth Floor at THE BAY

Sale of DRESS GOODS

WASHABLE TAFFETA

Crisp, rustly Taffeta for evening wear and dainty underthings. A choice of many beautiful shades; 38 inches wide. Sale price, yard. **67c**

PRINTED PERCALES

Novelty and floral designs in fine fresh cottons. Washable colors. For housecoats, dresses and children's wear; 36 inches wide. Sale price, yard. **33c**

IMPORTED WOOL CREPES

A host of popular, seasonable shades in this lovely, fine pure-wool Crepe; 54 inches wide. Sale price, yard. **1.29**

PRINTED CREPES

Fashion this lovely floral crepe into several excellent and useful additions to your summer wardrobe! Will make up into really attractive dresses; 38 inches wide. Sale price, yard. **79c**

WASH FABRICS

Assorted crisp, fresh cottons in beautiful floral patterns and printed sun rays in printed designs or plain shades; 36 inches wide. Sale price, yard. **38c**

USE A "BAY" BUDGET ACCOUNT

On purchases of 15.00 or over, pay one-third cash and the balance in 30 and 60 days. No interest charge.



Men's Better-grade OXFORDS

Here's outstanding saving on fine quality oxfords. . . all made from selected kid or calfskin leathers in black or brown. Brogues, or dressy styles. Good size range. Sale price, pair. **4.95**

—Men's Shoes, Street Floor at THE BAY

LUNCH IN "THE BAY" COFFEE SHOPPE

For quick, courteous service, and tasty, well-prepared food come to "The Bay's" Coffee Shoppe. Full-course Luncheons, Afternoon Teas and Snack Luncheons all delightfully served.

—Lower Main Floor at THE BAY



Lights Out Over Germany



With blackouts the rule, the Berlin family that owned the elaborate chandelier seen above would have little use for it anyway. So they donated it to the German scrap-metal collecting service. This truck-load of similar donations, headed for a smelting plant, will be turned into war munitions.

Gas War, World War

By NEWTON WILLIAMS.

Nazi agents in Canada and the United States are giving wide publicity to British Columbia's gas war. They are attempting to undermine the loyalty and morale of Canadian people and our friends to the south by citing the refusal of the gas companies to obey a government order as proof that the big industrialists of Canada and the British Empire have little concern about the welfare of the ordinary citizen and possess little respect for government decrees; that the war is being staged to benefit and protect big business only.

Until recently the Nazi fifth

column has been very successful in undermining the strength of the Allies and neutrals by creating lack of confidence in their respective governments and industrial leaders. They have accomplished these ends by cleverly exaggerating any obvious weaknesses. It is now recognized that the fate of Poland and Denmark and the German successes in Norway have been due more largely to Nazi fifth column activities than to the strength of the invading armies.

Lack of confidence in any single political group and in the objectives of the industrial leaders made it impossible for these countries to create quickly enough

any adequate defence systems. The recent election is ample proof that the majority of the Canadian people are too intelligent to be hoodwinked by the propaganda of Nazi agents. Canadians purposefully forgot their political leanings to give the reigning government ample opportunity to devote their undivided attention to the successful conduct of the war.

FOR ALL

In return for this vote of confidence, the people of Canada appeal for continual and ample proof that all phases of the war effort are designed for the protection and well being of the whole country rather than privileged classes. A valuable lesson may be learned from the differences of opinion between gas companies and the provincial government, for the disagreement has affected the normal business of practically every citizen in this province. It illustrates how easy it might be for German agents to slow up and disorganize Canada's war effort. For safety's sake, people have appealed already to the government to take over the gas distribution industry. Such a move would greatly disorganize established business. Surely our industrial leaders are big enough to co-operate with the government at a time when our boys are being asked to sacrifice not only their personal liberties but their

Be good to yourself

BUY A PACKAGE OF WILLS'S
GOLD FLAKE
CIGARETTES
CORK TIP OR PLAIN

Today



"Only nine feet to exercise in
YET I KEEP FIT!"

How does Betty always keep so well? Not with harsh cathartics and nasty doses! Oh no, she eats appetizing Kellogg's Bran Flakes every morning, every month and keeps fit!



A WAY OUT OF "THE BLUES"

If you too often feel low, draggy, "down" . . . if you are harassed by frequent dull headaches, you are probably depressed by incomplete elimination. So get more "bulk" in your diet and move along the food wastes promptly. And when this bulk is in a form as delicious as Kellogg's Bran Flakes, you'll really make it a daily habit! Happy thousands have proved that!

Gently laxative . . . rich in natural Vitamin B₁ . . . Kellogg's Bran Flakes With-Other-Parts-of-Wheat supply body-building proteins as well. Tomorrow and every morning enjoy the benefits of bran in this appetizing form!

To get well, see your doctor



But to keep well, watch your habits. Especially with a confining job like Betty's, do as she does. Eat tempting, mildly laxative Kellogg's Bran Flakes EVERY DAY. Use these crisp, golden flakes to get extra "bulk" right through the year, and thus avoid harsh and possibly dangerous drugs.

Prove it this way!

For one month, start every morning with a heaping bowlful of tasty, toasted Kellogg's Bran Flakes. Then see if you don't find your work and play a lot more fun again! Order the big golden-yellow package today. When you eat out, ask for the wax-wrapped individual package. Made by Kellogg's in London, Canada.



NOW! AMAZING IMPROVEMENT BRINGS YOU NEW QUICK LUX

AT NO EXTRA COST

"We didn't think LUX could be improved — but they've done it," WOMEN SAY

BIG NEWS for women everywhere! Your dealer now has wonderful new, quick Lux!

SPEED! A new ingredient added at great expense brings you gorgeous suds in a second! Yet new, quick Lux costs you no more! At the touch of water new, quick Lux actually dissolves up to 3 TIMES faster than any of 10 other leading Canadian soaps tested!

THRIFT! So rich, so pure — a little new, quick Lux goes further, gives MORE SUDS, ounce for ounce, than any of these other soaps.

SAFETY! Wonderfully gentle as always — safe for EVERYTHING safe in water alone.

Now it's easier than ever to use Lux. It's so easy to cut down stocking runs, remove undie odour, save hands, keep fabrics lovely longer with gentle, thrifty, new, quick Lux. Buy the BIG box today!



GOODNESS, ANOTHER RUN! WISH BETTY'D USE THRIFTY NEW QUICK LUX! IT CUTS DOWN STOCKING RUNS, SAVES MONEY!

GOES FURTHER New, quick Lux gives you suds in a sec — costs almost nothing — a little goes so far. It's so easy to cut down on expensive stocking runs this way. Lux stockings and undies every day!

SAFE "My sweaters keep their fit — their colours stay lovely longer with this quick, safe care," says Jean Martin. New, quick Lux is so gentle . . . use it for everything safe in water.

FASTER "I use speedy new, quick Lux for all my soap-and-water jobs to save my hands," says Mrs. Marguerite George (left).



I'LL NEVER USE POKEY CAKE SOAP FOR MY DISHES AGAIN! NEW QUICK LUX SPEEDS UP DISHWASHING — SAVES MY HANDS!



MY SWEATERS LOOK LOVELY — STAY NEW LOOKING LONGER WITH NEW QUICK LUX. IT'S SO GENTLE!

New Quick LUX



SUDS IN A SEC

In the same familiar box — the Lux your dealer has is the New Quick LUX

lives, if need be, for the good of the state.

SALUTARY

It is possible that the establishment of a few state-controlled gas distributing centres might have a good effect upon the morale of the Canadian people, just as the establishment of a few entirely state-controlled munition plants have given confidence to the people of France and Great Britain, that their munition trade is not in the hands, as the Nazi agents say, of a clique of international industrialists. At the same time these government plants have furnished ample proof that the independent industrialist can produce munitions more rapidly and a trifle cheaper than can be produced under absolute government ownership and management.

HISTORY

Nazi agents realize that Canada's war effort will be weak, if they can persuade a large fraction of the Canadian people they are under the thumb of the big industrialists. We do not want history to repeat. "When the law of the Ephori empowered the Spartans to sell their landed property, and dispose of it by will; and when the estates which had been distributed by Lycurgus among 9,000 citizens were possessed by less than 100 individuals; Sparta had no longer any soldiers, army, or power. When Athens contained within her walls individuals possessed of three

miles of land, while others had not wherewith to get buried, Demosthenes in vain proposed to raise an army of 2,000 foot, and 5,000 horse; a third only of which was to consist of citizens; no one was found ready to defend a country which had become the property of a few families."

Omit Rome Call

LONDON (CP) — Omission of the night stop at Rome from the summer schedules of British Overseas Airways is of no political significance, a spokesman for the line said today.



B.C. Nickel Mines Seek New Process

VANCOUVER — Col. Victor Spencer, president of Pacific Nickel Mines, at Coate, B.C., reports that there has been no change in the company's capital structure since the last annual vice will, effective today, make night stops only at Marseille or Athens. However, they will continue to stop over at Bracciano, near Rome, to refuel during the day.

report was issued and that the physical condition of the property remains the same.

But he states that during the past year several conferences have been held with interests owning a process for extracting and refining the metals in nickel ore cheaply.

Nothing tangible has developed from these conversations, says Colonel Spencer, but he admits "an ever present possibility" of working out a plan to produce metals cheaply from the company's mine.

At one time the American flag had 15 stripes.

According to English statistics, about one person in every three in Newfoundland is receiving relief.

HOUSEHOLD HINT

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You Won't Have to Keep a Weather Eye Out . . .

If your home is properly insulated, all year round, your home will be comfortable and healthful, because John-Manville's Insulation assures you of an even temperature at all times.

INSULATE NOW! You'll be more than grateful for the added protection it affords you against the heat in a few months. And remember—insulation will make your house much warmer next winter, besides saving you a great deal on fuel bills!

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Gardeners Will Dine Together

Gardeners from many north-west cities continued to arrive today for the Spring Garden Festival, and this morning joined those who have been here since Wednesday for the tours to large estates in the city.

Today the visitors, and a large number of Victorians, visited the gardens of Miss Lillian Ogilvie and Mrs. A. Beeching in the Uplands, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kershaw, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. F. N. D. Robertson, in the Cadboro Bay area, Mrs. H. R. Beavan and Mrs. Gordon Hepburn, on Beach



SURE SHE'LL LIKE TERRY'S "33"

and she'll admire you for being a judge of good value as well as of good food, nice surroundings and pleasant service. It's our 3-star, 3-course lunch at only 33c. Remember Terry's Saturday Night Dance in the Rose Room.

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FORT AND DOUGLAS

KODAK SERVICE AND A WONDERFUL CANDY DEPARTMENT

RED CROSS STORE CLEARED \$5,000

Since its opening September 19 of last year, the Red Cross Superfluties Store at 1220 Government Street has cleared \$5,000 besides acquiring stock on hand valued at \$2,000, officials reported today.

Victoria was the first city in the Dominion to undertake operation of a superfluties store to help provide funds for the Red Cross Society in its work in the present war. Two other stores have been opened since; one in Vancouver and the other in Ottawa.

People of San Francisco, Edmonton, Calgary and Winnipeg have been supplied with detailed information by local officials on the organization and operation of a superfluties store.

At the local store all services of the staff are unpaid and the premises are rent free.

"It is gratifying that the splendid support of Victorians to the store continues," one official said. "Some splendid gifts were received last week and the month of April realized the satisfactory sum of \$350 clear."

A donation, which quickly turned into money this week was a quantity of lily of the valley. They sold in less than two hours after being received.

Drive, and Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Goward and Mrs. C. F. Armstrong in York Place.

This evening at 7 the gardeners will gather for dinner at the Empress Hotel, to be welcomed by J. K. Hodges, manager of the Empress Hotel, and W. H. Warren, president of the Victoria Horticultural Society. There will be discussions on flowers, led by Frank Ashton, Mr. Warren and Dr. W. P. Walker.

Tomorrow, the final day of a most successful festival, the visitors will go to Hatley Park and the gardens of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hatch, 182 Barkley Street; J. G. Worth, 273 King George Terrace; Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Todd, 508 Island Road, and Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Lyles, 535 Island Road.

In the evening at 8.30, in the hotel ballroom, Douglas S. Scott will show colored motion pictures of Victoria's gardens.

With the Forces

From Seattle to Join Air Force

First resident of Seattle to enlist for active service is Roland C. Christy, former Victorian, who has been in the Sound City in the insurance business with Col. Don Martyn, another Victorian, for the last seven years. Christy left Seattle this week for Vancouver to join the air force.

He will be remembered as a broker in Victoria. At 14 years of age he joined the 7th Battalion as a bugler in the last war, served most of his time in the infantry, and then obtained a commission in the flying corps. He did a lot of stunt flying at the Willows after he returned from overseas and was also a captain in the Canadian Scouts.

Sailors get spring hats, too. It is not a privilege of the ladies alone. First of May sees sailors with white headpieces to accord with the approach of prospective hot weather and all sailors on the streets of Victoria are now wearing them.

BRONZING AND FIT

Bouquets are being tossed in the direction of the men of the First Battalion Canadian Scouts in from Otter Point after several months of winter training. Their military bearing, obvious good health and bronzed faces stamp them as soldiers settling down to the life in a serious manner.

Twenty army and air force units on the island have received nearly \$400 worth of athletic equipment from the Y.M.C.A. war services committee, and within the next few days, naval units at Comox will be supplied.

Rev. J. Herdman, secretary of the war services committee of the association here, said that the equipment was mainly footballs and bats, masks and gloves and volley balls and nets.

Earlier in the year it was suggested by military authorities to Frank Paulding, general secretary of the "Y," that the association might be able to serve by supplying athletic equipment.

Surveys were made to ascertain the needs, and it was found that football and volley ball equipment would be welcomed by the men.

Some \$2,850,000 now is going each month into the homes of men on active service with the Canadian forces. The number of beneficiaries has reached 55,000. These payments comprise assigned pay in combination with allowances to wives, children, parents or other eligible dependants.

The Canadian Dental Corps, like the Canadian Medical Corps, is entitled in its own right to use the Geneva (red) cross in all circumstances, the defence department announces. Use of the cross on all establishments and material

TOWN TOPICS

Divorces granted in British Columbia during March totaled 45, 26 decrees being granted to wives.

Thieves were busy in the city again last night and stole \$113 in cash when they broke into offices of the Singer Sewing Machine Company, 126 Yates Street. Entry was gained by jimmying a back window.

Owing to large advanced sale of tickets for the concert and Marionette show of the Cloverdale School tonight at the Chamber of Commerce, ticketholders are requested to take their seats before 7.45.

The Queen Alexandra Solarium medical superintendent's report for April showed the number of patients in the Solarium as 68, in Jubilee Hospital 2, admissions during April 11, discharges 4, general anaesthetics given 4, number of operations 1, casts removed 1, plasters taken for celluloid sprints 3, plaster casts 3, plasters re-enforced 2, consultations 3, X-rays taken 41, physiotherapy treatments and exercises 570 and laboratory examinations 434.

Births, deaths and marriages registered in the larger centres of the province during March follow: Vancouver 373 births, 263 deaths and 270 marriages; Victoria 78, 67 and 31; Nanaimo 23, 15 and 14; Ladysmith 3, 2 and 2; Duncan 16, 5 and 7; Cumberland 12, 1 and 2; Courtenay 0, 0 and 2; Port Alberni 25, 4 and 1. Cancer accounted for 84 deaths, tuberculosis 28, pneumonia 30 and influenza 13. Motor accidents took a toll of seven lives and 36 children under one year of age were included.

Urges Delusions End

LONDON (CP) — Richard K. Law, Conservative member of Parliament, and a son of the Canadian-born Prime Minister, the late Andrew Bonar Law, today said the government's "attitude to the problem" of the war "must be changed before the country is in sight of victory."

He criticized "widespread and highly dangerous delusions" that the "war is going to win itself without loss or sacrifice, that time is on our side and that Hitler has missed the bus."

Conscription Advocated

WELLINGTON, N.Z. (CP) — A resolution calling for compulsory national war service was passed today at the New Zealand returned soldiers' conference.

belongings to the corps will ensure them the protection and respect of the belligerents. A ruling has been given by the British war office on submission by Canadian headquarters in London.

As a result all dental corps personnel will wear, affixed to the left arm, an armband bearing this distinctive sign, and if they fall into the hands of the enemy they would not be treated as prisoners of war.

City Hall Briefs

Drug Formulary Prepared Here

Druggists of Victoria today were prepared to present to the city health committee a formulary which, if enforced, would reduce the city's drug bill for indigents by at least 40 per cent.

That information was gained as the pharmacists met the committee to go further into the city's proposal to establish a dispensary.

Some concern was voiced by the pharmacists over implications made at the last City Council meeting that they were responsible for the high price of city drugs. Druggists, it was explained, were required to fill out prescriptions as they were presented to them by patients on physicians' instructions. If the city could secure an undertaking from the medical men that they would abide by the formulary—a set list of drugs for set prices—costs could be greatly reduced, it was pointed out. Druggists suggested the problem of costs was mainly a problem in administration which could be overcome by close co-operation between physicians and the health department.

In an effort to effect greater economies, the city has suggested establishment of a city dispensary with a qualified public health nurse assisting in its operation.

PARKING PLAN DELAYED

Enforcement of the city's new parking by-law, which will become law when the document is formally registered, will await completion of certain material changes in street signs, it was learned at the City Hall today. Marking of streets where parallel parking will be required, and erection of signs designating the length of time during which vehicles may remain at the curb, will precede action under terms of the new regulations.

"My end will be ready any time," Chief of Police J. A. McLellan, author of the changes, stated today.

The city plans to have the new rules in force before the main tourist season starts, but will be lenient for a short time after the regulations become law in order to let the citizens get accustomed to the changes.

TRANSPORTATION

The City Council is expected to meet in committee of the whole early next week to discuss the suggestion that work on the transportation question be shelved until the end of the war. Mayor Andrew McGavin stated today the committee session had been delayed, owing to the time required to attend to the pressing emergencies of the gas strike. The proposal to shelve the bus plan was introduced two weeks ago by Alderman Archie Wills.

BRIGHTEN CITY

Painting of city lamp standards continued today, with the work scheduled to be completed by the end of the month. Approximately \$500 was earmarked for the painting which, in addition to improving the looks of the poles, preserves them from rust. In locations where they have become rusted, the standards are cleaned with wire brushes and touched up with red lead before the final green coat is applied.

After discussing protests over the changes in the names of Cambie Place, McKenzie Street, Walton Street, Glasgow Street and Carrick Street, the city's intermunicipal committee, under Alderman B. J. Gadsden, chairman, tabled the complaints pending word from Oak Bay and Saanich regarding the action to be taken by the councils of those municipalities on the names of 92 streets.

The city zoning board of appeal yesterday afternoon conditionally allowed the appeal of Mrs. M. D. Christie for permission to erect a duplex dwelling at Linden Avenue and Richardson Street. The board also allowed L. Dale's request for permission to apply for a license to carry on home cooking at 99 Wellington Avenue.

Europe's War Seen At Decisive Point

PARIS (CP-Havas) — "We are at a decisive turning point of the war," Fernand Laurent said in Le Jour Echo de Paris today in commenting on the Allied withdrawal from central Norway. "Days of trials await us" and days also, he hopes, of resolution and coolness.

Laurent said France had sent "the best of our young men" to Norway. "A country which finds on demand volunteers of this stamp is capable of any recovery."

"The first objective of the Allied expedition to Norway, to close the route through Norwegian territorial waters to Germany, has been attained," said La Justice. "The presence of our divisions in Norway assures us other advantages. Neutrals, all

OBITUARY

BLACK — The funeral of Kelly Black was held from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon. Ven. Archdeacon Robert Connell conducting the service. Pallbearers: Edward Bray, W. Bray, R. Bray, H. J. Brown, A. Brown and W. Brown. Cremation took place at Royal Oak.

GUSH — Arthur Gush of Centre Road, Sidney, died yesterday at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, aged 42. He was born in Devonshire, England, and served with the Royal Engineers in the Great War, coming to Victoria 13 years ago to make his home. He was a member of North Saanich branch, Canadian Legion, and leaves two brothers and two sisters, W. J. Gush, Saanichton; Walter Gush and Mrs. Elsie Burrows, in Raymore, Sask., and Mrs. Flossie McCulloch, Sidney. Rev. D. M. Perley will conduct funeral services on Monday afternoon at 3.30, at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, followed by interment at Royal Oak.

NYLANDER — Nils Leven Nylander, 2483 Douglas Street, a native of Sweden and a resident of this city for 30 years, died yesterday at St. Joseph's Hospital, aged 49 years. He leaves an aunt and cousins in Kansas City, California, and Vancouver. Funeral services will be held at Sands Mortuary on Monday afternoon at 2, followed by interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

TAIT — Yesterday the death occurred of Timoleon John Tait, aged 79 years, of 1634 Hollywood Crescent. He was the son of the late Robert and Jane Tait, St. James, Winnipeg. He is survived by two daughters in Victoria and one son and two grandchildren in Saskatchewan. Announcement of funeral will be made later.

WALKER — Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon in McCall Bros. Funeral Chapel for Gladys Walker. Rev. T. G. Griffiths conducted the services. Interment at Colwood. Pallbearers: W. McCague, D. G. Matheson, T. Merrick, A. James, S. Foreman and A. W. McKenzie.

KIDD — Funeral services for Miss Helena August Kidd took place yesterday afternoon from the Thomson Funeral Home. E. G. Nelson conducted the service. Pallbearers: T. Black, S. J. McClean, J. Lupton and W. Shephard. Interment at Royal Oak.

DAGG — Mrs. Mary Alexis Dagg, wife of H. Roy Dagg, died yesterday at the family residence, 1900 Forester Street, aged 59 years. Mrs. Dagg was the daughter of the late Colin Chisholm, K.C., M.P., of Sydney, Nova Scotia, and had been a resident of this city for the last eight years.

She is survived by her husband, two sons, Ronald and Donald, two daughters, Sheila and Shannon and her mother, Mrs. Evelyn Chisholm, all at the family residence; a sister, Mrs. A. W. Cruise, Point Grey, Vancouver, and two brothers, Col. R. T. Chisholm, O.C., Cape Breton Highlands, and John A. Chisholm, Sydney, N.S. The remains are resting at the Thomson Funeral Home until Sunday afternoon when they will be taken to Our Lady of Lourdes Church, where prayers will be said at 8 p.m. Mass will be celebrated at 9 a.m. Monday morning by Rev. John R. Buckley, celebrant. Interment at Ross Bay. Friends kindly omit flowers.

MONTREAL (CP) — Dr. Eva C. Reid, 65, one-time inspector of hospitals for the insane in California and a former professor of psychiatry at the University of California, died Wednesday at here by relatives. She was a native of Leeds, Que. Rev. Andrew D. Reid, pastor of Centennial United Church of Victoria, is a brother.

VANCOUVER (CP) — Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cook, two of Vancouver's earliest settlers, died within four days of each other this week. Mrs. Maria Cook, who came to the city shortly after the big fire of 1886, died suddenly Sunday and her husband, who named the city of Newdale, Man., and was its first postmaster, passed away last night. When the couple first came to British Columbia in 1885, they stayed in Victoria before moving to Gas-town as Vancouver was then called—a year later.

Mr. Cook, who was a building contractor, erected the city's first bank building—the Bank of British Columbia—and Christ Church Cathedral.

Wheat Supplies Assured

LIVERPOOL (CP) — Lord Woolton, Minister of Food, said this evening that Britain's wheat supplies are assured and that his chief goal not only is enough food for the poorest, but food at a price they can pay.

neutrals, know that we will abandon no nation at grips with swastika imperialism. The awakening spirit of resistance in southeastern Europe certainly partakes of this conviction."

Gas Sale Act Will Give New Control

With the immediate problem of supply settled, interest in the gasoline fight centred today on next Wednesday's session of the Legislature when the government will submit legislation asking for the power to go into the business of gasoline importing, refining and distribution.

A draft of the bill has been made, it was learned this morning, and it gives the government wide authority.

Purpose of the legislation, reliable sources said, will be to give the government an added measure of control over the oil industry.

The government, it is stated, is not anxious to go into the gasoline business, and as a general rule prefers to follow the policy of allowing individual initiative in business. But events of the last week, these sources say, have demonstrated that gasoline is to all intents and purposes a public utility and must be regarded as such.

The gasoline strike showed the government that its powers under the Coal and Petroleum Products Control Act are limited in that while they authorize price fixing and wide investigation of the industry, they do not give the power to compel distribution. The only way in which this could be achieved would be for the government itself to have the authority to go into the business.

In this respect the gasoline business differs from other utilities such as electric power, transportation and communication. Under its Public Utility Act the government has power to step in and run these utilities if it feels they are not being properly operated. But gasoline, being an imported commodity, is in a different position. Thus, instead of bringing gas under the general Public Utilities Act, it is proposed to present a special bill dealing with gasoline and petroleum products.

This legislation, it was explained, will also be useful if the government is successful in its oil drilling program in the Peace River. While no policy has been decided as to whether, if it strikes oil, the government should take over the distribution itself or let it out to private concerns, the new bill would give it authority to deal with an oil supply as conditions dictated, it is felt.

Gas Boom After Settlement

"Gas for sale" signs were displayed at every service station in town this morning after one of the most hectic nights the gasoline industry here has known. Settlement of the strike reached late yesterday afternoon between the government and the oil companies was the signal for smooth-functioning machinery of distribution to go into action.

When the Times, in its home edition, forecast the settlement before nightfall, managers of the bulk plants immediately mobilized every available tank truck, loaded them to the top and stood ready for the word to go.

The agreement was announced from the Premier's office shortly after 5. Plant managers began to phone their service stations to have their men ready to handle the gas.

R. M. Pidgeon, representing Petroleum Industries, and Frank E. Pendergast, of Imperial Oil, flew back to Vancouver to confer with heads of other oil companies after making the agreement with the government, so it was not until 8.30 at night that final orders were flashed here.

Then the trucks rolled. Each company had mapped out a plan of campaign to get gas to their biggest downtown customers first and spread the rest as quickly as possible.

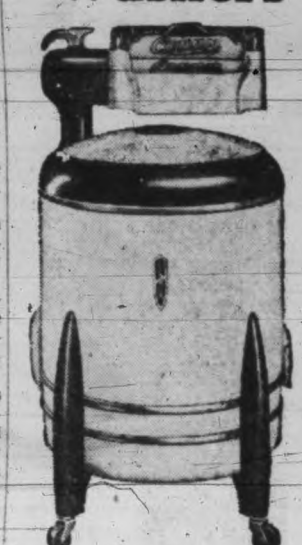
Some of the trucks pulled into one station after another dropping a few hundred gallons at a time. They came back later to fill the tanks. The bigger distributors, with six and seven trucks available, were able to fill up each station as they arrived.

The tank truck drivers worked late into the night but they reported everyone that they opened up before they went home. A few stations which do not open at night were serviced this morning.

Into thirsty auto tanks gas was flowing freely by 9. At one big station there was a line up one block long. Most of the larger operators pumped a large volume of gas before 11.

The afternoon's forecast of a settlement brought automobiles back onto the road in force. People who had been saving their last few gallons for essential trips decided to use them. In the knowledge that the drought was over and they would be able to refill soon.

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Second race—Six furlongs: Baranca 118, High Ace 115, Negro Kid 110, Delina Bank 108, King Royal 106, Bakermoon 108, Norway Nell 107, Margie Bell 105.

Third race—Six furlongs: Our Nancy 104, Gay Imp 110, Draz Yankee 107, Val-dina Flash 104, Middle Blouse 110, Star Point 106, Sharpy 109, Boston Current 106, Tyree 112.

Fourth race—Six furlongs: Rock X 111, Sky Pirate 109, Gold Trophy 113, Hetch Hetch 110, Barololet 118, Lora Bunker 109, Mickey's Best 106, Foam 110, He Said 113, Proud Indian 115, Black Highbrow 115.

Fifth race—Six furlongs: Allegre 108, Cooperstown 114, Brother Higher 105, Betty Sweep 108, Big Bubble 114, Wellaway 107, Titmouse 110.

Sixth race—Mile and a sixteenth: Joy Boy 110, Onetell 105, Brother Nibs 107, Home Burning 106, Jubilee 112, Bostway 109, Page Boy 113, Mount Vernon II 108, Bulmark 126, Best Beau 118, Flying Wild 112.

Seventh race—Mile and a sixteenth: Windshield 111, Pit Terrier 111, Imperial Scout 111, Scapple 111, Gallaway 114.

Eighth race—Mile and a sixteenth: Chaslar 112, Sitting Bull 107, Deer Fly 110, Haggen Hour 112, Waggoner 108, By Reiter 109, Jack Greenock 109, High Vole 115, Sky Brush 104.

Bars Loose Testimony

EDMONTON (CP) — Mr. Justice A. A. McMillan said in the Alberta Supreme Court here today that he must know evidence is relevant before he will accept it in the case of 35 tobacco manufacturers and dealers appearing on combine charges.

H. J. Wilson of Edmonton, one of the Crown counsel, had suggested the court could accept some evidence which would not seem "particularly relevant" at the time but would be shown to be relevant by linking up with some later evidence.

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JIGGERS

Debating Group Winds Up Season

The value of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce debating group as a training ground in the art of public speaking to the young businessmen members was clearly exemplified last night in toasts proposed and responded to at the annual dinner of the group in the Pacific Club.

All participating in the toasts displayed distinct ability as after-dinner speakers, their stance being one of ease, their voices well-modulated and clear and lacking those "groping-for-the-next-line" ahs, ohs, repeats and other stalling methods.

This was the 11th annual dinner of the group and wound-up the 1939-40 activities of the speechmakers.

Peter W. Bell, president, arranged the banquet for the members and their wives and during the evening expressed the hope that all members and new members would be on hand for next season's public speaking cultivation classes.

"TO THE EMPIRE"
Main toast of the evening—to the Empire—was proposed by Leslie Osborne. "There is something within the British Empire that binds us solidly together. Not the flag-waving type of patriotism—seen in totalitarian states, but a tie that we all know. Not an obvious one, nor an old school tie, but a tie of one throne that has one King," Mr. Osborne said.

Tom Woolston, responding, praised the manner in which Canada, the senior Dominion of the Empire, had immediately come to the forefront to take its place with the mother country in the war, the great efforts it had been making and would continue to make to aid in the successful prosecution of the war.

In the toast to Canada, Frank Hunter spoke of the Dominion's vastness, her yet hardly touched great wealth, her strength and the part her huge supplies of natural resources was playing in helping Britain win the war.

Henry Law, responding, told of coming to Canada in 1910 and word-illustrated Canada's march of progress as he had witnessed it.

Don Brake proposed the toast to the ladies, Mrs. John Baxter responded.

Thomas Sturgess, president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, toasting "Our Members," spoke of the benefits the group offered members of the Chamber of Commerce and urged more to attend debating nights next season.

John Baxter said the Chambers of Commerce in Canada could be well proud of the calibre of men on their membership roles, in proposing the toast to the Chamber of Commerce. Conway Parrott, responding, said he had been with the chamber seven years. He had participated and co-operated with the chamber's mistakes, but felt proud that he had been associated with the chamber's better efforts.

Percy George, in the toast to City of Victoria, told of its advancement from an old Hudson's Bay fort to the present day. "We have developed our city to a point where it is second to none in the world," he said. Mr. Baxter, responding, said "I know of no finer city in Canada in which to be married than Victoria."

Mr. Parrott proposed the toast to debating, with Fred Pease responding.

THE WEATHER

VICTORIA, 5 a.m. today—A storm is approaching the Oregon coast from westward while pressure is relatively high over Washington. The weather remains mild throughout British Columbia, rain has been general on the coast and showers are reported in southern districts. It has become warm in the interior provinces.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, max. 51, min. 40, wind, S. 10 miles S. precip. 14; fair.
Vancouver—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, max. 50, min. 45, wind, 10 miles N.E.; precip. 0.1; cloudy.
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, max. 48, min. 37, wind, S. 10 miles S.E.; precip. 0.1; fair.
San Francisco—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, max. 65, min. 56, wind, 10 miles E.; cloudy.

	Max.	Min.
Victoria	51	40
Nanaimo	51	40
Vancouver	50	45
New Westminster	51	40
Prince Rupert	48	37
Dawson	36	29
Seattle	59	43
Portland	60	43
San Francisco	65	56
Kamloops	53	43
Prince George	53	33
Kelowna	62	36
Fenitlon	60	36
Vernon	62	38
Nelson	63	38
Grand Forks	72	44
Kaslo	64	41
Calgary	73	48
Edmonton	80	48
Prince Albert	89	50
Regina	74	47
Winnipeg	61	41
Toronto	47	41
Ottawa	54	44
St. John	53	37

TILLICUM SCOUTS

The troop meeting of 1st Tillicum Scouts was opened by Patrol Leader Slick Cammidge of the Owls. District Scoutmaster Jack Paul gave an interesting talk about the scout rally to be held in June. The troop rehearsed a play which they hoped to present at a later date.

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SCOUT JAMBOREE FOR ANNIVERSARY

To mark the 30th anniversary of the Third Victoria Boy Scout Troop, a jamboree will be held at the District Headquarters, 1034 Johnson Street, Saturday afternoon at 2.30.

Scouting displays will be prominently featured and entertainment will be supplied by Jack Williams, magician, and John Gow with his Punch and Judy show.

The home cooking stall will be in the hands of Mrs. D. L. Macdonell and Mrs. J. Kent-Fawkes.

and home-made candy will be sold under the direction of Mrs. P. H. Stevens. Mrs. M. L. Olsen and Mrs. Brown will convene the afternoon tea, assisted by Guides of the 4th West Victoria Company.

CATHEDRAL A.Y.P.A.

The Cathedral A.Y.P.A. met in the Memorial Hall on Wednesday evening. The meeting was opened with prayers by Rev. J. R. Fife. Plans were discussed for annual picnic on May 24. Members were reminded of the local council rally at St. Matthias on May 13. Committees were appointed for the penny fair to be held on May 18 in the Memorial Hall.

The occasion being musical night, the program opened with selections of a mock orchestra composed of members of Pat Cumberbirch's group. Others taking part in the program were Ursula Hills, Jack Relf, Ruth Nelson, Orville Speed and Ted Shadbolt. The evening concluded with dancing. Vinnie Kilsby's group will be in charge of craft night next week.

KELOWNA, B.C. (CP)—The tax rate here will be increased one mill to 44 mills this year as the city has adopted the policy of levying one mill for special reserve for school purposes under the School Act.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE ACQUISITION ORDER

IMPORTANT NOTICE

As announced by the Minister of Finance, the Foreign Exchange Acquisition Order, 1940, has been enacted by Order-in-Council under the authority of the War Measures Act.

Unless exempted by the Order, every resident of Canada who, on May 1st, 1940, has any foreign currency in his possession, ownership or control, whether in Canada or outside Canada, is required forthwith to sell such foreign currency to an Authorized Dealer (i.e. a branch of a chartered bank) for payment in Canadian dollars at the official buying rate of the Foreign Exchange Control Board.

"Foreign currency", for the purposes of the Order, means any currency (excluding coin) other than Canadian currency and includes bank notes, postal notes, money orders, cheques, travellers' cheques, prepaid letters of credit, bank drafts and other similar instruments payable in any currency other than Canadian currency, and also includes any amount in foreign currency of which a resident has a right to obtain payment by reason of a deposit, credit or balance of any kind at or with a bank, savings bank, trust company, loan company, stockbroker, investment dealer or other similar depository.

The Order does not require the sale of any foreign securities.

The Order does not affect any foreign currency, deposit or securities of any non-resident of Canada and for greater certainty the Order expressly declares that a non-resident visiting Canada for business or pleasure for a period or periods not exceeding six months in the year continues to be a non-resident for the purposes of the Order unless such person enters or has entered Canada with the intention of becoming a permanent resident.

No resident is required to sell any foreign currency if he satisfies the Foreign Exchange Control Board that he held such foreign currency on May 1st, 1940, solely as trustee or agent for a non-resident and that the non-resident's interest therein had not been acquired from a resident since September 15th, 1939, except in a manner approved by the Board.

Under certain conditions stipulated in Section 1 (b) of the Order, a resident who is not a Canadian citizen may be granted exemption, but only after application for exemption is approved by the Board.

No life insurance company incorporated in Canada is required by the Order to sell any foreign currency which it needs for the purpose of carrying on its business outside Canada.

Further particulars may be obtained from branches of chartered banks. Any resident who has any foreign currency in his possession, ownership or control on May 1st, 1940, regardless of amount, should consult his bank at once in order to ascertain the extent to which he is affected by the Order.

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On Sale
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These Suits are of all-wool tweeds in a variety of patterns, including blues, greys, greens, brown, etc. Single or double-breasted coats with sport back; pants are full width cuff bottoms. Sizes 32 to 37. All Suits specially well tailored and finished. Truly a value worth your attention.

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THE SUITS are of a good quality grey flannel and neat fitting. Coats or, short-zipper style. Shades are red, green-blue, fawn, brown, etc. Plain shades, stripes or fancy patterns. Sizes 28 to 34. Special, each **\$1.95**

BOYS' POLO SHIRTS

In knitted short-sleeve style. Some with polo button front. Round neck or, short-zipper style. Shades are red, green-blue, fawn, brown, etc. Plain shades, stripes or fancy patterns. Sizes 28 to 34. Special, each **50c**

2 for 90c

BOYS' WASH SUITS

Sizes for 2 to 6 years. Each **50c**

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Boys who take sizes 24 to 29 will count themselves lucky to get one of these smart **WOOL TWEED SUITS**. Mostly single-breasted style, but a few are double-breasted; all with sport-back coats. Short pants are full lined. There are blues, greys, browns and fawns. A change to have your small lad smartly clad at a low price.

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Sizes 6 1/2 to 7 1/2. Smart style. Shades blue, grey and green. Each **94c**

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BEDTHROWS—Practical weight and nice in appearance. Plain pastel shades. These are slightly substandard. Each **\$1.79**

TWO-TONE REVERSIBLE BEDTHROWS with sateen-bound edges. Very slightly substandard. Each **\$2.25**

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UNBLEACHED COTTON SHEETS—A splendid wearing quality cotton that will bleach white after a few washings. Size 80x99 inches. A pair **\$2.89**

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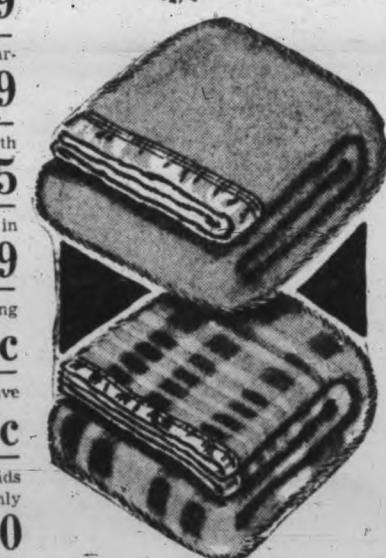


TABLE OILCLOTH—Shown in plain white, colored or fancy patterns. Oilcloth can be put to many uses in the kitchen and gives a bright, clean appearance. 45 inches wide. A yard **45c**

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Lynn Valley Peaches, 2 tins 25c	Australian Fruit for Salad, 16-oz. tin 19c	Monarch Pastry Flour, 7-lb. paper bag, 32c	Spencer's Jelly Powder, all flavors, pkt. 5c
Blue Mountain Pineapple, slices, cubes or crushed, tin 11c	Spencer's Special Rice, Wheat or Corn Puffs, pkt. 7c	10-lb. cotton sack 48c	Nabob Jelly Powder, all flavors, 2 pkts. 9c
Glen Valley Peaches, tin 11c	Minute Tapioca, pkt. 10c	Fluffy Pancake Flour, pkt. 9c	Aylmer Boneless Chicken, 7-oz. tin 25c
Orchard City Peas, 3 tins 27c	Durham Corn Starch, pkt. 9c	Nabob Pure Black Pepper, 1/2-lb. pkt. 10c	Fraser's Boneless Chicken, 7-oz. tin 25c
Spencer's Pork and Beans, 18-oz. tins, 3 for 25c	Kkovich Custard Powder, tin 15c and 27c	Francis Drake Grapefruit Juice, 50-oz. tin 19c	Jameson's Tea, lb. 56c
		Tropic Gold Grapefruit Juice, 13 1/2-oz. tin 7c	Jameson's Coffee, lb. 48c

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Blue Ribbon Tea, lb. 55c	Columbia Apricot Jam, 4-lb. tin 39c	Clover Leaf Herring in tomato sauce, 14-oz. tin 14c	Dr. Jackson's Roman Meal, Bekus or Lishus, pkt. 31c
Malkin's Best Tea, blue label, 1-lb. pkt. 56c	Malkin's Best Plum Jam, 4-lb. tin 35c	Libby's Tomato Juice, 10 1/2-oz. tin 5c	Swans Down Cake Flour, pkt. 25c
Libby's Cooked Spaghetti and Cheese, 3 tins 25c	Nabob Special Marmalade—orange, lemon and grapefruit, 4-lb. tin 39c	B. & K. Pastry Flour, 7-lb. paper sack 23c	Grape-Nuts, 2 pkts. 17c
Aylmer Salad Fruits, 15-oz. tin 19c	Aylmer or Malkin's Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. tin 37c	K-D Prunes, 2-lb. pkt. 18c	Kellogg's All-Bran, large pkt. 19c
Aylmer Peas and Carrots, 16-oz. tin 10c	Saanich Clams, tall tin 14c	Red-E-Pop Pop Corn, pkt. 10c	Grape-Nuts, 2 pkts. 25c
Kraft Quick Dinner, pkt. 17c	Bread Flour—Maple Leaf, Five Roses, Purify or Royal Household, 49-lb. sack \$1.49	Happy-Vale Pickles, sweet or sour, 32-oz. jar 25c	Kellogg's Corn Pops, something new, pkt. 11c
	24-lb. sack 79c	Shredded Wheat Biscuits, pkt. 10c	Quaker Corn Flakes, 4 pkts. 25c
	Todd's Tiger Salmon, 1/2, 2 tins 27c	B. & K. or Ogilvie Quick Oats, large pkt. 15c	Aylmer Golden Bantam Corn, 16-oz. tins, 3 for 25c
	Todd's Horseshoe Salmon, 1/2, tin 19c	Quick Quaker Oats, large pkt. 16c	Red River Cereal, per pkt., 23c and 45c
	Murray's Apple and Strawberry Jam, 4-lb. tin 35c		Robin Hood Rolled Oats, 6-lb. cotton sack 28c
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Ogilvie Blended Flakes, 3 pkts. 25c	Metcalf's Canfield Tomatoes, large tins, 2 for 21c	Reckitt's Blue, 2 pkts. 9c	White Swan Laundry Soap, 3 bars 10c
Britt-Tack Rye Bread, pkt. 14c	Libby's Vegetable or Tomato Soup, 2 tins 15c	Biscuit Specials	Classic Cleanser, 2 tins 9c
Ormond's Soda Biscuits, large pkt. 15c	Libby's Tomato Catsup, bottle 12c	Lemon Gems, lb. 18c	Old Dutch Cleanser, 3 tins 25c
Heinz Specials	Hereford Corned Beef, tin 15c	Red Arrow Chocolate Biscuits, doz. 10c	Paul's French Castile Soap, large cake 7c
Combination Special—2 tins Baked Beans, 16-oz., and 1 bottle Tomato Ketchup, 5-oz., all for 30c	Eddy's Cameo Matches, pkt. of 12 boxes 9c	Meltaway Biscuits, lb. 21c	Chipso or Oxydol, large pkt. 21c
Tomato Ketchup, 14-oz. bottle 16c		Christie's Ritz, lb. 14c	Red, White and Blue Toilet Tissue, roll 3c
Strained Foods, all varieties, 3 tins 25c		Christie's Snaparoons 3 doz. 15c	Camay Toilet Soap, cake 5c
Ormond's Graham Wafers, 16-oz. pkt. 15c			Lux Toilet Soap, cake 5c
Spencer's Malt, 2 1/2-lb. tin \$1.10			Sunlight Soap, 4 bars 19c
Malkin's Best Tomatoes, 18-oz. 3 tins 25c			Chipso, giant size pkt. 47c
Campbell's Tomato Soup 3 tins 25c			1 large pkt. Chipso and 1 earthenware bowl, both for 26c

WHILE QUANTITIES LAST!

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Hitler Fooling German Youth

"It is the Englishman's dollar that is standing between us and Hitler today. The British are maintaining a navy which is giving us protection. Therefore, we Canadians should not sell our goods to the Motherland with the expectation of large profits. The English will not have a great deal of money when this war is over, and it is my opinion that it will be a long war," said R. W. Mayhew, M.P.-elect for Victoria in a lecture on "The Problems of Canada" before members of the Victoria Rotary Club in a luncheon meeting held in the Empress Hotel yesterday.

"We should keep our minds clear so that when the time comes to gather around the peace table we shall be able to present fine, clear and Christian methods to the delegates," continued Mr. Mayhew.

world as a whole, the speaker said that Hitler was fooling the youth of Germany with propaganda and that when this youth became older and of no use in his methods they would be thrown aside but would act as a boomerang to the Hitler regime.

"German youth has been taught only to be militaristic with no thought for their future. We will do well to remember that the youth of today are the men of tomorrow."

"We, in Canada should do all in our power to protect the United States from false propaganda circulated by our arch-enemy. We should present our side of the argument. The United States is quite capable of running its own show in its own way but we are under obligation to combat this propaganda which, if it is allowed to continue, might ruin our good relations with the friendly neighbor to the south."

In conclusion, the speaker expressed his desire to see the complete co-operation of the people of Canada in the realizing of their responsibilities.

Mr. Mayhew was introduced by Dr. W. J. Sippell and thanked on

George MacDonald Heads Merchants

The Retail Merchants' Section of the Chamber of Commerce held a short annual meeting yesterday afternoon at which George E. MacDonald was re-elected chairman for his fourth year, the annual report of the chairman was accepted and a committee formed to name executive members.

In his report Mr. MacDonald mentioned the work of the section during the Royal Visit; the work in keeping the downtown streets tidy; recommendations to the City Council regarding unsightly conditions of the Inner Harbor and beaches around the city and the study and discussion of the question of parking meters for the city.

This was perhaps the most important question dealt with, Mr. MacDonald said. The section went on record as opposing the installation of meters.

Duncan MacBride, president of the Chamber, J. V. Johnson, vice-president and Mr. MacDonald were chosen as a committee to name executive members of the section.

Y.P. SONG SERVICE

The last of the season's song services was held in the gymnasium of the Y.M.C.A. Sunday evening. Don Smith of the Baptist Y.P.S. was chairman, and Fred Arnott of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Y.P.S. was at the piano.

The year's most popular hymns were sung, with a representative from various societies giving interesting highlights on each of these. Alex Hall gave a short illustrated lecture on the Amsterdam conference which he attended last autumn.

Arrangements are being made to hold the song services in Beacon Hill Park during the summer months.

Salvation Leader To Visit Victoria

Commissioner B. Orames of Toronto, territorial commander of the Salvation Army forces in Canada, Newfoundland, Alaska and Bermuda, will pay his first official visit to Victoria tonight. He will be accompanied by Lieut. Col. James Merritt, territorial social secretary, also of Toronto headquarters, who will inspect the men's social work carried on by Adj. James Haskirk, and also visit the institution on lower Johnson Street.



COMMISSIONER B. ORAMES

Salvation Army war services throughout Canada, Brig. Matt Junker, divisional commander for southern British Columbia, will introduce Commissioner Orames and accompany him to Vancouver where a congress of the officers of the province will be held during the week-end.

A public meeting of welcome will be held in the Salvation Army Citadel, Broad Street, at 8 this evening, when the Salvationists of both the Citadel and Victoria West Corps will unite.

Lt. Col. F. B. Stephenson of the advisory board will preside, Mayor A. McGavin will bring the greetings of the City of Victoria to the commissioner, and Rev. Dr. A. E. Whitehouse will represent the Ministerial Association. Previously, Commissioner Orames will meet the advisory board at luncheon.

FORTY YEARS' SERVICE

Commissioner Orames is an Australian and has served over 40 years as an officer of the Salvation Army, including executive positions in his native land, the overseeing of work in North China, and, more recently, the command of all army operations in the 11 western states of America and the Hawaiian Islands. From San Francisco he was appointed to Toronto headquarters. He is particularly interested in war work for service men. During the World War the commissioner was relieved from regular duties and for three years served the men in camp in Australia and on the field in Egypt and France under the direction of the Australian Defence Department. He is still on the reserve list of Australian chaplains.

Mrs. Orames is a New Zealander and has 44 years of Salvation Army service to her credit. She and an officer daughter are remaining in Toronto while the commissioner visits the coast.

25 Years Ago

OTTAWA—From a cablegram received by Major-Gen. Sam Hughes re what may be termed the battle of the Langemarck, near Ypres, Belgium, the following is an extract: "The total Canadian casualties from April 22 to April 30 amount well up to 6,000."

VANCOUVER—Granville Street bridge was on fire on two separate occasions yesterday, and all the evidence points to the existence of a plot to destroy this structure and other bridges in the city.

NEW YORK—Waves of terror swept over the passengers of the Cunard liner Lusitania on Saturday just before the liner left for Europe, caused by the receipt of 50 anonymous telegrams in which warning was given that the vessel would be torpedoed and sunk.

A post office to be known as Bowser has been opened in the federal constituency of Comox-Atlin, with John Holt as postmaster. The summer office at Savory Island, in the same constituency, has been reopened and constituted as a regular office.

OTTAWA (CP)—Trade and Commerce Department officials express some concern as to the well-being of Richard Grew, Canadian Trade Commissioner at Oslo, Norway, who has not been heard of since Germany invaded Norway, April 9.

Inquiries have been made through Canada House in London and other channels. His position as trade commissioner does not give him diplomatic status. It is stated.

REAL BUYS in REAL ESTATE

"Best Buys" of the week listed by dealers in these columns for your convenience. This Real Estate service will appear in the Times every Friday and Saturday night.

On Gorge Waterfront
4-room stucco bungalow with 3 acres, open fireplace in living-room; cabinet kitchen; edge-grain floors; 3-piece bathroom; 2 bedrooms; wired for electric stove; 2-car garage; garden and fruit trees. Close to car line. Low taxes. \$2850
Reduced to \$2500
\$500 Cash Will Handle—Balance Arranged.
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Gentleman's home of 10 rooms, hardwood floors—large living-room, dining-room and den. Hot and cold water in bedrooms; 3 beautiful lots in garden, flowers and oak trees. This is a real home! Price \$6300

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One of its finest homes at a sacrifice—7 rooms, hardwood floors. \$3400
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\$4500 will buy one duplex, two 2-story houses and two cottages. Fernwood business center. All rented. Also vacant lot. Taxes \$150 per annum.

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WE SPECIALLY RECOMMEND THESE
OAK BAY—Attractive 6-room residence; bedroom downstairs; all conveniences; nice garden; near car line. Reduced to \$2500
MT. TOLMIE DIST.—Fully modern, 3-room stucco bungalow; excellent condition; double garage; 2 large lots in beautiful garden; low taxes. Real value at \$2700
A REAL INVESTMENT—Two self-contained suites of 5 rooms and bathroom each; full cement basement; new furnace; double garage; good location. Undoubtedly a snap at only \$1375

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SAANICH BARGAIN
3 1/2 miles from city on good bus line. 4-room bungalow—living-room, 2 bedrooms, large combination kitchen and dining-room; modern pantry. The bathroom has the toilet, but no bath. Basement and separate garage. About 1/2 of an acre, with lots of good fruit trees, and chicken house. This is one of our best buys. \$1500
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Almost new stucco home of four rooms, bathroom and full-size cement basement. Extra large lot in good garden, fruit trees, etc. A lovely little country home, and owing to recent death of owner, is offered for \$2000 immediate sale.
(Taxes only \$26)

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"SMITH'S HILL"
A five-room bungalow in first-class condition inside and out. Complete with basement, furnace, garage, etc. ONLY \$1595—CASH
An ideal home for a retired couple or small family. Low taxes. High, healthy location. Beautiful views over city and surrounding country.

OAKLANDS SCHOOL DISTRICT
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About 15 miles from city, six acres, all cultivated. There is pasture and crop and remainder in growing fruit trees, small fruit and garden. Five-room modern house, three bedrooms, living-room, kitchen and bathroom. Concrete foundation, open fireplace. City water and light. Barn and chicken houses for 300 birds. Large garage. Price only \$3500

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Reduced to \$1500

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Within five minutes walk to business centre. Pretty living-room with fireplace, dining-room, kitchen, two bedrooms, 3-piece bathroom, wood shed, etc. Taxes under \$50. Cash price, including householder's \$1100

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Captain Died Hero's Death

By ALLAN NICKELSON
MIDLAND, Ont. (CP)—Capt. Fred Burke died a hero's death when his ship, the Arlington, sank in a storm on Lake Superior Wednesday morning, the Canadian Press was told today by one of the 16 surviving crew members.

"He stuck in the wheelhouse guiding the ship while the rest of us took to the lifeboats," said Francis (Fat) Swales, 17-year-old deckhand. "He couldn't have had much chance to save himself, for the ship went down within 20 minutes of the time I was roused from my berth and told to get to a boat."

Swales, first member of the crew who spoke to a newspaperman after the survivors were landed from the rescue vessel Collingwood, was on his first voyage.

"And it was my last," he said. "I never expected to see such weather as we encountered Tuesday night."

Flags on the Collingwood were half astern in tribute to Capt. Burke.

Capt. F. S. Slocombe of Toronto, supervising examiner of masters and mates in the inland division of the Dominion Department of Transport, planned to hold a preliminary inquiry in the Midland town hall before allowing the sailors to go to their families. His findings will be forwarded to Ottawa, where a decision will be made upon whether a formal inquiry is to be held.

ALBERNI MILL ON FULL TIME

PORT ALBERNI (CP)—Officials of Bloedel Stewart and Welch Lumber Company reported today their two mills in this area will go on full time next week. Previously the plants were operated on a 40-hour week basis. Alberni Pacific Lumber Company reported it will continue to operate at 50 per cent of capacity, and officials saw no hope of immediate improvement.



Fred Astaire, George Murphy and Eleanor Powell in "Broadway Melody of 1940," now at the Dominion Theatre.

SHERWOOD SEES HORRORS TO COME

NEW YORK (CP)—Robert E. Sherwood, the playwright, is quoted in a copyright interview in the World Telegram as saying the "isolationists of millions of Americans today are really condemning a horrible warfare" sometime in the future.

Sherwood's new play, "There Shall Be No Night," based on the Russian invasion of Finland, took New York by storm this week. It is a passionate declaration that the German aggressors must be stopped promptly and effectively or the world must sink into regimented barbarism.

In the play, in which Alfred Lunt is a Nobel Prize-winning scientist of Helsinki and Lynn Fontaine his American-born wife, Sherwood states the case for democracy and eventual peace with freedom.

Through the intermediary of a German attaché, played by Maurice Colbourne, Sherwood seeks to establish that the Russian drive on Finland was engineered by Germany. This, he argues, was part of the Reich's ever-widening plan of destroying freedom and establishing the Germans as the super race.

Sherwood in the last war draped what he calls his "grotesque height" in the uniform of the Canadian Black Watch and served two years with the Canadian Corps.

Talking with Frederick Wolman, World Telegram staff writer, Sherwood said there is a

POWELL TEAMED WITH ASTAIRE

When the two greatest dancers of the contemporary stage and screen get together in a single production, it's news. Such news is verified in "Broadway Melody of 1940," at the Dominion Theatre today for an engagement of three days, and starring Fred Astaire and Eleanor Powell.

Spectacular in all of its departments, these two stars are given a suitable send-off for their first co-starring feature. Nine dances, ranging in type from tap to ballet, six Cole Porter song hits, gigantic sets, a notable cast, Norman Taurog as director, all add up to the prediction that "Broadway Melody of 1940" is due to take its place as the year's most entertaining and eye-filling film.

OAK BAY THEATRE
"The Hunchback of Notre Dame," now at the Oak Bay Theatre, features Charles Laughton in the title role. Director William Dieterle peopled the massive backgrounds with more than 3,500 "extra" players, achieving an eye-filling entertainment which is said to rank with the screen's greatest. Laughton, as Quasimodo, the deformed bell-ringer of Notre Dame, heads a notable featured cast.

"frightful conspiracy of silence" in the United States, "that is turning Washington into an orgy of unreality and paralyzing the legislative branch of the government by a fear close to a panic."

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'REBECCA' OPENS AT CAPITOL

David O. Selznick's production "Rebecca," from the best-selling novel by Daphne du Maurier, showing at the Capitol Theatre today through United Artists release.

Directed by Alfred Hitchcock, master of mystery-thriller, "Rebecca" was filmed with Laurence Olivier and Joan Fontaine in the top starring roles, while the featured supporting cast includes Judith Anderson, George Sanders, Nigel Bruce, C. Aubrey Smith, Reginald Denny and Florence Bates.

RIO THEATRE

Louise Massey and The West-erners, currently featured in Monogram's "Where the Buffalo Roam," now at the Rio Theatre, are acknowledged to be an outstanding vocal and instrumental group.

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Uncle Ray

Haakon VII Became King in 1905

Not quite three weeks ago, King Haakon VII of Norway sent out a message to his people which you may have read in newspaper reports. Here, in shortened form, is what he said:



King Haakon VII as a young man

"I ask all Norwegian men and women to do everything they can to save our dear fatherland, Norway has been attacked by a mighty foe who bombs peaceful people. Women and children have suffered.

"Fire bombs, explosive bombs and machine guns have been turned against us in the most reckless way. I ask you to stand with the government and fight for Norway's freedom."

The king's message was simple and strong. He and the elected officers of Norway had tried hard to keep their land at peace. Then came the terrible blow, forcing the king out of his home city and putting him in danger of bombs from enemy airplanes.

His personal danger, however, was not his chief thought. His mind was mainly on the sorrows of his people.

Last August, King Haakon had his 67th birthday. He has been the king of Norway since 1905, when he was invited to take the throne by the Norwegians. Before that year, Norway had been united with Sweden.

After the union with Sweden was broken, the Norwegians chose a Danish prince to be their king. The prince took the name of Haakon VII. He is a younger brother of Denmark's king, Christian X.

The kings of Norway, Sweden and Denmark have not shown themselves greedy for power. None of them has ever tried to be a "dictator." The people in all three countries have had the right to vote and the right to speak their minds. They have been free to go to any church, if they wished to do so.

An excellent university has been kept up at Oslo. It is 129 years old.

The Norwegians are careful to give school training to boys and girls. Norway ranks among the countries which have the best records in regard to the ability of people to read and write.

HOROSCOPE

SATURDAY, MAY 4

This is an important day in planetary direction. It is time to wind up business deals and favorable for negotiations. The stars smile on persons in authority.

This is a fortunate day for preparing to entertain guests. Recreation is recommended as there may be need of escape from household matters. Among women small deceptions are likely to be more often practiced under this configuration than under other planetary aspects. It is not a promising day for meeting persons of opposite sex.

The stars predict many today will be generous in contributions to human welfare. This is an auspicious time to collect aid for public movements of every sort. The stars bode drastic changes beneficial and promising. Warning is given that now is the time when further dangers can be averted, for the future is to bring grave depression.

Naval movements on the Pacific Ocean will assume more importance as the summer approaches. Secret pacts between Japan and the Soviet government may interfere with the United States in plans for oriental trade and commerce. Warning is given to beware of subversive agencies, who enlist sympathy of young persons who are writers or college students.

Persons whose birthdate it has been the augury of a year of happiness. Financial interests will be satisfactory. Young and middle-aged will be interested in romance.

Children born on this day probably will be industrious and ambitious. They may possess unusual artistic talents in which they will gain fame.

Milky Way Shifts
The Milky Way runs from northwest to southeast in the early evenings of late winter. It arches across the sky from northeast to southwest in late summer, and at times lies along the horizon.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



ANSWER: No. Man cannot voluntarily stop completely the rhythmic process of inhaling and exhaling.

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

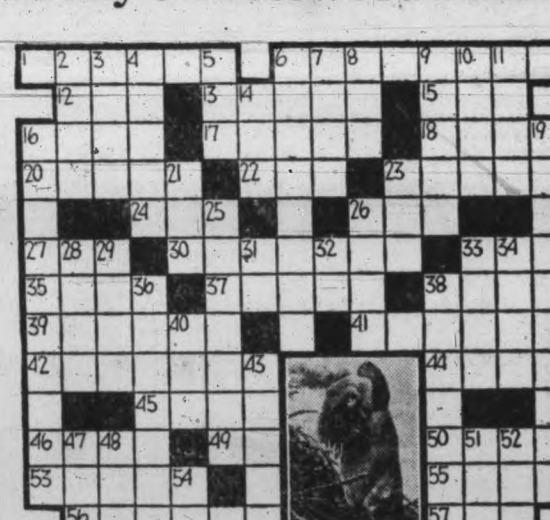
DEAR MISS DIX—I met a very nice fellow and we fell deeply in love with each other and after several months we were secretly married. He joined my church afterward on his own accord. During his instructions he found out our mistake in being married secretly and we promised each other not to say anything to any one about it until we were able to be married in the church. Unfortunately he met with an accident and I promised him on his deathbed to never tell of our marriage. He has been dead over a year now and it is still our secret, but it is constantly haunting me. Should I confess now, or continue to keep our secret? If I do tell, will I be forgiven for breaking my promise, and will it cast any darker shadows over my life than there are now? If I tell, it will be a shock to every one. So the question is should I, or should I not, confess and run the chance of people forgetting and forgiving while I am young and single?

WORRIED.
ANSWER—A secret marriage is always a mistake because it is something that has to be explained and gives rise to gossip, but there is nothing criminal about it. Nothing to be really ashamed of. And so, provided you have your wedding certificate to prove that you were legally married to the young man, there is no reason why you should hesitate to make the matter public.

I advise you to do so at once because, for one thing, it will relieve your mind of the burden of keeping a secret about which you have become morbid, and because it will set you right with your friends, and any young man who comes a-courting you will know beforehand that you are a widow and not a maid.

Of course, your acquaintances will talk about it for a day or two and then forget it, and there will be no question of your being forgiven because you have done nothing wrong. But if you are ever going to tell, do it at once. The longer you wait, the harder it will be to tell it. It was a senseless and cruel thing in your husband to wrench that promise of secrecy from you on his dying bed, and you should not hesitate to break it.
DOROTHY DIX.

Today's Crossword Puzzle



HORIZONTAL 42 To separate from others. 3 Ornamental shrub. 16 It is an animal, able to live on land or water. 44 In the style of. 4 Margin. 45 Indians. 5 Rodent. 6 It has a webbed hind foot. 46 Single thing. 6 Leaflet. 49 Street (abbr.). 7 Region. 50 Composed. 8 Directed in action. 12 Tennis point. 53 More painful. 9 Final judgment. 13 Conscious. 55 Tree. 10 Tissue. 15 Married. 56 One who tastes. 11 Kind of cheese. 16 To justify. 57 Not bright. 17 Domesticated. 2 Roof edge. 14 Form of "be".

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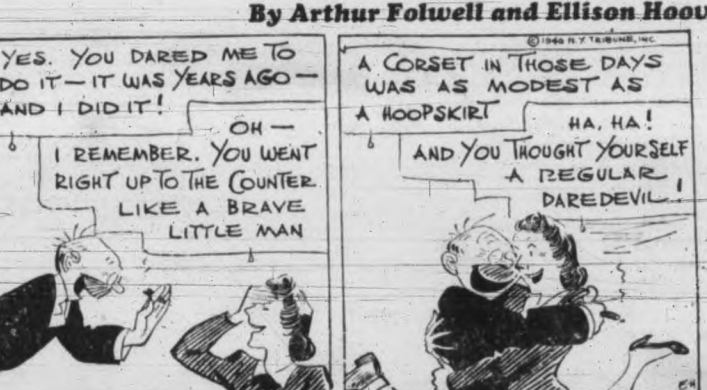
By Martin

Wash Tubbs



By Roy Crane

Mr. and Mrs.



By Arthur Folwell and Ellison Hoover

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Good Neighbor Line

PHILADELPHIA, Pa.—Europe has its Siegfried Line, its Maginot Line and its Mannerheim Line, but nothing like them exists on the North American continent. Albert A. Gardiner, assistant general passenger traffic manager of the Canadian National Railways, Montreal, told the Main Line Kiwanis Club here. The 3,000-mile line between Canada and the United States, he said, was a line without a surname. He suggested that it be called "The Good Neighbor Line." The two countries, said Mr. Gardiner, lay side by side, "enriched with the reign of peace

and happy in the ensured continuance of the rule of good will and reason."

TENDERS ACCEPTED

OTTAWA (CP)—Hon. J. L. Ralston, Minister of Finance, announced yesterday acceptance of tenders for the full amount of \$25,000,000 Dominion of Canada treasury bills due August 1, 1940. The average discount price of the accepted bids was \$99.81480 and the average yield 7.36 per cent.

In London, the average daily consumption of water amounts to 38 gallons per capita.

Letters to the Editor

FOR THE RETURNING BOYS

To the Editor:—Those who have been advocating preparing for the return of our men after the war is over have an opportunity to assist in doing something that would meet with their approval. If one cannot assist financially, one at least should give the arena building one's moral support.

It is doubtful whether an appeal for funds for a more useful purpose in the interests of the people of Greater Victoria has ever before been made.

JOHN ROWLAND SR.

NEGLECTED WATERFRONT

To the Editor:—Ten minutes' ride due south of Douglas and Yates is a probable death trap for any little child who should suddenly break away from the safety of its guardians—a plunge to the sharp rocks below from the pathway on the "edge" of the high cliffs along the sea front.

From Clover's Point, to the breakwater without doubt is the most deplorable and neglected beaches, sands and waterfront embankment of any seaport in Canada. And there is no drinking water available.

With few exceptions the approach to the beach should only be attempted by the most expert alpine climbers and nothing has been done to provide even the most elementary sanitary conveniences or dressing stations for the people. Dangerous glass, rusty tin cans, and other rubbish litter the shore all along that locality.

C. L. CLARKE,
316 Douglas Street.

NAZI SPIES IN B.C.

To the Editor:—In the Chilliwack district there are hundreds and perhaps thousands of German-speaking Mennonites who were brought in here by the government. While some are no doubt good citizens, there are hundreds of Nazi agents and spies among them.

In Chilliwack town any afternoon and especially Saturday afternoon and evening, you would think you were in some foreign country, because there is more German spoken than English.

These people are immune from military service because of so-called religious belief, another bit of Nazi lying and cunning.

Many of these spies were picked up by the police when war broke out, but the government let them go because they did not want to antagonize Hitler.

Our councillors and school trustees cater to this German element because it brings them a solid vote in the municipal elections.

Only recently the Red Cross Society of B.C. allowed them to write the Red Cross exams in the German language and then boasted about it over the air.

I suggest the government disenfranchise all these Germans that have come into the district during the last 15 years, treat them all as suspects till after the war, and if they stand the test during this conflict, give them back their citizenship.

L. H. BISHOP.

Sardis, B.C.

THE POINT OF VIEW

To the Editor:—In a leader on "Russia's Record," a contemporary regrets that East Poland was annexed by Russia. I wonder who else does.

I don't believe that any Britisher living, even the writer of the article himself, if he thinks twice, will not rejoice that one part of Poland at least escaped Hitler.

As for the inhabitants themselves, with the exception of the rich Polish landowners, these poor down-trodden peasants must welcome the reunion with their own race, for the populace, both White Russians and Ukrainians, were crushed beneath a cruel foreign tyranny, Polish, and just as objectionable as German.

World aggression in its present intolerable form, began in China in 1931, and has continued, without interruption for nine years.

The Bible tells us to pluck the beam out of our own eye before concerning ourselves with the mote in another's.

The record of history from 1931 is, one might think, enough to silence criticism of Russia—on the part of us Britishers at any rate. The mere fact that the government of Great Britain has been belatedly, at long last, forced by public opinion to change its policy and make a stand—long, very long—overdue, cannot obliterate previous performances.

Whatever it may be said that Russia has done, we, under the present leadership in England, has, actively as well as passively, connived at aggression for eight of the nine years. It is so well and widely known that there is no use shutting our eyes to it, Sir John Simon in Manchuria, Sir Samuel Hoare in Abyssinia, in Spain, in Bohemia, Poland, Finland. We British are ourselves guilty and cannot afford to throw stones.

W. D. MUNROE,
2853 Colquitz Avenue.

Vancouver Girl On Adventure Cruise

VANCOUVER (CP)—A North Vancouver music teacher and an Anacortes, Wash., girl who once attempted to paddle a canoe from Anacortes, to Ketchikan, Alaska, laid plans today for a venture—some cruise in a 42-foot auxiliary schooner from Louisburg, N.S., through the Panama Canal to British Columbia waters.

Miss Mavis Wilcox, the music teacher, said Jack Shark, a former Yukon mining camp cook, will pilot the craft. Third member of the party will be Betty Annette Lowman of Anacortes, only woman member of the Deep Sea Fishermen's Union of Seattle.

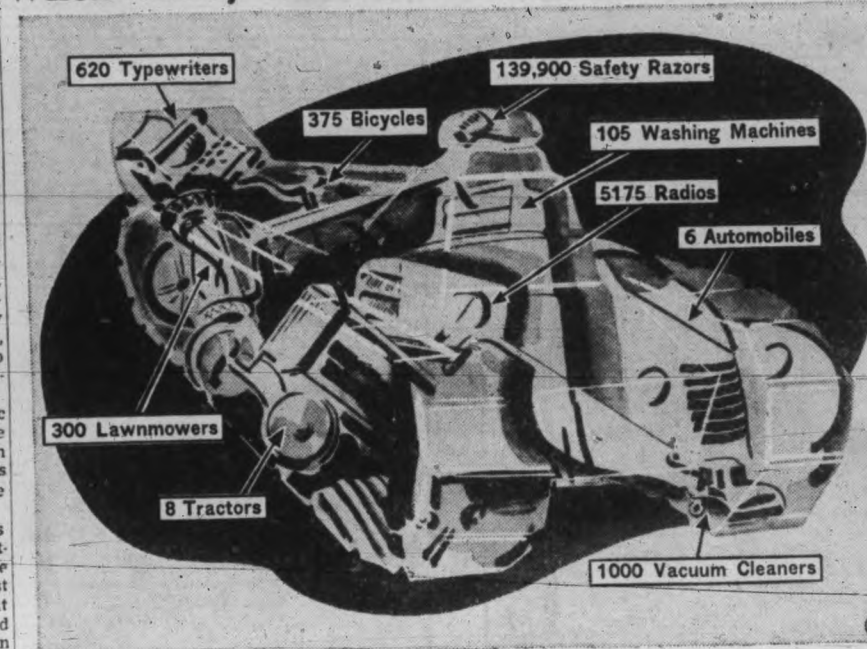
The North Vancouver music teacher said she plans to leave for Louisburg with Miss Lowman in about two weeks. Shark is already there getting the schooner in shape.

In 1937, Miss Lowman was wrecked and rescued in an attempt to paddle a canoe up the Pacific coast to Alaska. Last year, she sailed on a halibut boat out of Ketchikan and had planned a Bering Sea codfish expedition this year before she, decided on the trip from Louisburg.

BUILDING RECORD SET

TORONTO (CP)—Building contracts awarded—throughout Canada in April totaled \$25,905,000, largest monthly aggregate since June, 1937. It represented a gain of 11.5 per cent over the

When Army Gets a Tank



Into the machines of Mars go the makings of enough products to stock any well-sized all-purpose drug store. An ultra-modern, French 70-ton tank, for instance, contains enough metals to make all the peacetime products pictured above inside the outline of one of these mammoth war engines. From the 70 tons of metal in one French tank, as figured by the American Society for Metals, there could be made enough razors (1,280,000) to shave practically the whole British army.

total for April, 1939, of \$12,303,200, according to the compilation by MacLean Building Reports. Contracts awarded this year to the end of April aggregated \$58,224,700 compared with \$39,889,400 for the corresponding period of 1939, an increase of 46 per cent.

Cost Doctor-Place In Yacht Parade

SEATTLE (AP)—The forthcoming motherhood of Isla May Mallard today cost Dr. Charles B. Ward his place in the yacht parade which will open the Seattle yachting season Saturday.

Dr. Ward went to the mooring place of his 42-foot gasoline yacht, the Isla May, several days ago to make ready for the opening ceremony.

He removed a tarpaulin which had covered the dinghy atop the Isla May's afterdeck all winter and found nine mallard eggs in a nest made of a coil of rope.

The dinghy was removed to the pier, but the eggs were undisturbed. However, when Mrs. Mallard returned she scolded us furiously. Dr. Ward said, "and refused to sit on the eggs again." We finally returned the dinghy to its resting place on the Isla May and Mrs. Mallard returned to the nest.

"I can take a hint. I've decided not to move the Isla May until Isla May Mallard has her brood."

Norwegian Merchant Marine Still Active

STOCKHOLM (AP)—An official broadcast last night said all but one-sixth of the Norwegian merchant marine escaped German hands and is still active.

The broadcast said the fleet consisted of 1,987 ships before the German invasion, and totaled 4,833,000 tons.

Reunited With Daughter



Marion Talley, famed opera singer, embarks on a belated career as a mother in a New York apartment as she embraces her five-year-old daughter, Susan, whom she has seen but once since 1936. Courts gave Miss Talley custody of Susan nine months of the year, the girl to stay with her father, Adolph Eckstrom, New York singing teacher, the other three months. (Acme telephoto).

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